

Old Lowell
Lowell Bank
Oldest Bank in Lowell

HAPPINESS

A snug little sum in a Savings Account against a rainy day goes a long way toward happiness and contentment.

Interest in Savings Department begins the first day of each month.

Old Lowell National Bank

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Every Man's Bathrobe

In the Store at Exactly

One Half Price

All New Fresh Merchandise

Friday and Saturday Only

Men's Shop—Street Floor

The Bon Marche
DRY GOODS CO.**Every Man's Sweater**

In the Store Marked

One Third Off

Friday and Saturday Only

Men's Shop—St. Floor

—OUR GREATEST—

ANNUAL JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

IS NOW IN FULL SWING

**No Mail
or Telephone
Orders**

In this, our GREATEST JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE, we offer you over three-quarters of a million dollars' worth of FIRST QUALITY MERCHANDISE, at prices that must prove attractive to you.

New items have been added to replace stock depleted by the heavy selling of the first three days of this great sale. You know the kind of sales we conduct, and the kind of service we give. You know that every article purchased in our store carries our broad guarantee, no matter how low the price. Come early.

**All
Merchandise
First Quality****Charmeen and Twill Dresses**

The Greatest Values We Ever Offered on High Grade Dresses

VERY NEWEST AND SMARTEST STYLES

\$14.75 \$19.50 \$25.00 \$35.00 to \$49.50All Fine Tailored Dresses, in Navy, Rosewood, Brown
Were \$25 to \$85**All****Mah
Jongg
Sets****One Third Off**

Stationery—Street Floor

Fur Trimmed CoatsBETTER QUALITY BETTER STYLE BETTER VALUES
The Best Coats in Lowell at the Lowest Prices
(Quality considered)**\$39.50****\$47.50****\$69.50****\$85.00****\$98.50****\$110.00**Fashiona
Vervette
OrmandaleMarvella
Gerona
LustrosaBeaver
Fox
LynxWolf
Squirrel
Kolinsky Squirrel

Save \$20 to \$60 on a Coat

Blouses

\$1.98, \$1.49, 98c

69c

Second Floor

\$0.98, \$1.28, \$1.48

\$6.98**Great Undermuslin
Values**Now is the time to buy a supply of
Undermuslins at greatly reduced prices.

GOWNS CHEMISE BLOOMERS SLIPS

Flapper Dresses

WOOL

JERSEY

Sizes 10 to 14 years

1-3 Off

Second Floor

HosieryA large supply of pure Silk Black Stockings and
Children's GOLF Hosiery at prices averaging**1-4 to 1-2 Off**

Regular Prices

Luggage Dept.

Basement

Vacuum Bottles, genuine "Universal"
pint size, brown enameled steel
case, aluminum shoulder and large
drinking cups; regular price \$2.
Sale price\$1.25"Universal" Lunch Kits, the
strongest kit made, furnished
with a special steel based vacuum
Bottle, and slide model, each kit
well ventilated; regular price
\$2.50. Sale price.....\$2.25Traveling Bags, genuine cowhide,
full cut, some with leather lining,
brown and black; regular price
\$3 and \$4. Sale price.....
\$3.25 and \$3.95Pig Skin Traveling Bags, hand
sewed English frames, extra full
cut fine bags to stand hard
usage, brown and black; regular
price \$10.98. Sale price.....\$6.95**Woolen Goods**

Street Floor

Bolivia and Velmara Coatings, 54
inches wide, extra heavy pile fa-
brics; regular prices \$8.98 and
\$8.25. Sale price.....\$6.98Genuine Forstman and Hoffman Tar-
quina Coating, rich, lustrous fin-
ish, 56 inches wide, black only,
thoroughly sponged and shrunk;
regular price \$12.50. Sale price,
yard\$8.98Striped Primella Skirtings, with fan-
cy silk stripes; \$3.98 and \$4.98
values. Sale price.....\$2.98**Knit
Underwear**

Street Floor

Misses' Wool Vests and Pants, \$1.00
and \$1.25 values. Sale price, 55cSeveral Other Wonderful Values in
Women's and Children's
Knit Underwear**Drapery Dept.**

Third Floor

Cretone, end of the piece, perfect
goods, lengths from 1 to about
10 yards; regular price 25c to
50c. Sale price, yd.....15cDrapery Poplin, mercerized in green,
tan, mulberry, lavender, 36-inches
wide, suitable for overdrapes, pil-
lows, couch covers, etc.; regularly
89c. Sale price 35cSash Curtains, odd sizes; regularly
60c 35cElectric Floor Lamps, all our reg-
ular stock reduced 25% for this
sale.Hand Drawn Curtains of heavy
mercized serien, one row hand
drawn; regular price \$1.98. Sale
price\$1.49Two rows hand drawn; regular
price \$2.25. Sale price.....\$1.69Three rows hand drawn; regu-
lar price \$2.49. Sale price \$1.89Voile Curtains: regular prices \$1.49
and \$1.75. Sale price.....89cRegular \$1.98 curtains. Sale
price\$1.39Regular \$2.40 and \$3 curtains.
Sale price\$1.49Regular \$5 and \$6.50 curtains.
Sale price\$2.98**The Gift Shop**

Third Floor

Picture Framing, one-half regular
price on all framing ordered and
paid for during this sale.Many Items in Glassware, Pottery,
Lamps, Book-ends, etc.
At Half Price**Handkerchiefs**

Street Floor

Women's All Linen Handkerchiefs,
regular price 50c. Sale price, 25cMen's All Linen Handkerchiefs, reg-
ular price 75c. Sale price.....50c**Housewares
Dept.**

Basement

White Enameled Water Pails, 10
qt. size; regular price \$1.35. Sale
price 89cAluminum Percolators and Tea
Pots Half-PriceCoat Hangers, white enameled; reg-
ular price 10c. Sale price,
4 for 25cHome Comfort Bread and Cake
Boxes, white enameled finish; reg-
ular price \$3.25. Sale price.....\$2.75Regular price \$4.25. Sale
price\$3.75**Toilet Goods**

Street Floor

Ivory Pyralin Mirrors: regular
price \$1.98. Sale price.....\$1.49Ivory Pyralin Powder Box (in dis-
continued number); regular price
\$1.49. Sale price.....79cInfant Set, Ivory Pyralin comb,
brush, soap box; regular price
\$2.00. Sale price.....\$1.49Ivory Pyralin Comb, Brush and
Powder Box (infant set); regular
price \$2.00. Sale price.....99cAssortment of Discontinued Hair
Nets, single mesh; regular price
2 for 25c. Sale price, dozen 45cProphylactic Tooth Brushes; 3c
set 25c**Silk Dept.**

Street Floor

Roshanara Crepe, a fine firm weav-
ing, grey, navy, seal, brown, tan,
luna and black; regular price
\$2.50 yard. Sale price.....\$2.75Fancy Skirtings, various patterns,
also a few short lengths; reg-
ular price \$3.49 and \$2.98. Sale price.....\$1.50Satin Messaline, in all shades;
regular price \$1.98. Sale
price\$1.69**Ribbon Dept.**

Street Floor

Brocade and Satin Remnants, plain
and fancy; regular prices 30c to
50c. Sale price, yard.....10cOdd Lengths in Fancy and Plain
Ribbons, may be used for fancy
work; regular prices 60c to 85c
yard. Sale price, yard.....25cMetallic and Brocade Ribbons, for
millinery, bags, vestes, sashes,
etc.; regular prices \$1.00 to \$2.00
yard. Sale price, yard.....\$1.00Bone Bag Tops, in novelty styles;
regular price \$1.00, each..... 50cNarrow Ribbon, for rosettes, blanket
binding, etc.; regular price 10c to
60c. Sale price5c**Silverware**

Third Floor

Silver Baskets, oval sizes and
shaped; regular price \$5.98. Sale
price\$3.75Community Par Plate
At Half Regular PricePoinsettia Sherbets; regular price
\$1.75. Sale price, set of 6, \$1.25Salt and Peppers; regular price 60c.
Sale price 38c**Toy Dept.**

Basement

Games and Books Half Price

Children's Aluminum Cooking Sets;
regular price \$1.00 and \$1.10.
One-Half PriceChildren's Snow Shovels; regular
price 25c. Sale price.....15cJazzbo Jim; regular price 10c. Sale
price 25c**Trimmings**Metal Lace Flouncings; regular price
\$1.98 yard. Sale price.....\$1.98Cluny Laces; regular price 10c to
25c. Sale price15c**Jewelry**

Street Floor

Cuff Links, 10kt, solid gold links,
green and white gold, engine
turned patterns; regular price
\$4.00. Sale price\$2.95Wrist Watches, 7 jeweled white
gold filled case, octagon and ton-
neau shape, black and grey ribbon
bracelet; regular price \$10. Sale
price\$7.98Bings, solid gold rings for children,
imitation emeralds, sapphires and
amethysts, green or yellow finish;
regular price \$2. Sale price, \$1.49**Gloves**

Street Floor

Women's Short Wool Gloves, white
only; regular price 89c. Sale
price 50cChamois Gloves for children, grey
only; regular price 89c. Sale
price 50cChildren's Gloves, lined kid, in
brown; regular price \$2. Sale
price\$1.25**Linens**

Street Floor

Bath Mats, large sizes, all colors;
regular price \$2.79. Sale price
.....\$2.29Soiled Lace Centres, all sizes,
Half Regular PriceJapanese Crepe, colored checks, ten
colors; regular price 29c. Sale
price 12½c**China Dept.**

Third Floor

Metal Lamps, with glass shades,
One-Half PriceClassic Minerva English Dinner
Sets (14 of open stock) 112
pc. set; regular price \$64. Sale
price\$40Fancy China, large assortment of
cheese and cracker, chocolate
sets, bon bon dishes, tea sets, etc.
At Half Price**Domestics**Bleached Sheets, seamless, soft
finish, \$1.90; regular price \$1.50.
Sale price\$1.3972x90 regular price \$1.49. Sale
price\$1.29Fruit of the Loom Pillow Cases,
factory ticket on every case, size
42x36; regular price 39c. Sale
price 29cOuting Flannel, 36-inch colored
striped and checked, good weight,
full bod pieces, perfect goods;
regular price 29c. Sale price 19c**Shoe Dept.**

Street Floor

Women's Queen Quality Boots, brown
leather, broken sizes left from many
different lines; regular prices \$6.00
to \$9.00. Sale price.....\$2.99Women's Queen Quality Suede
Pumps, black, big cubic autumn
brown, suede, black viol kid; regu-
lar price \$8. Sale price.....\$5.95Men's Regal Shoes, brown and black
leather and oxford on English toe
lasts; regular price \$6.00. Sale
price\$2.98Girls' Jersey Leggings, black jersey
with fleece lining, sizes for large
or small girls; regular prices \$1.00
to \$1.50. Sale price, pair.....49c**Infants' Dept.**

Third Floor

Infants' White Knitted All Wool
Leggings, regular price 79c. Sale
price 39cInfants' All Wool Bonnets and Hel-
mets, all sizes, some are trimmed
in contrasting colors; regular
prices \$1.49 and \$1.98. Sale
price 79cInfants' Heavy Flannelette Gowns,
with drawstring at bottom; reg-
ular price 79c. Sale price.....49cInfants' Flannelette Kimonos, regu-
lar price 59c. Sale price.....39c

ALL THROUGH THE NIGHT



Police of Philadelphia, having been given an ultimatum by the new Safety Director, Brig. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, started to "clean up" the city. Patrol wagons were kept busy rounding up undesirable. Photo taken at midnight of the first day of the campaign shows several women being arrested.

"Got to Get Rid Of Some Bums"

houses, early today, they had confronted and smashed enough gambling paraphernalia and still to fill two down patrol wagons. In only a few instances were the raiders, found to use their eyes to gain entrance, but when necessary they resorted to force.

Gen. Butler found one of the raiding parties late in the night for a brief period and then made the rounds of the various police stations. Finding that his orders had not been strictly obeyed at several of the stations, he ordered every available policeman on the street all night and finally told the lieutenant in charge that they would find themselves out of a job when the "zero hour" arrived at 2:30 o'clock the following morning, unless they had cleaned up their district.

Gen. Butler said that more than 75 per cent of the clean-up had been completed and he felt sure that it would be nearly 100 per cent at the expiration of his time limit. He was congratulated on his accomplishments by Mayor Kendrick, who said that, thus far, politicians had not placed any obstacles in his path.

Director Pleased
General Butler was on the job until after 2 o'clock this morning, generally speaking. He said he was highly pleased with the work of the policemen.

"When the 48 hour period I gave the department to clean up expires," he said, "we will take account of stock and the men who have not gone into this thing heart and soul will hear from me. I've started out to make every clean, honest, on-the-level policeman my friend; to have him as keen for the honor of the force as the marines are for the corps with which I have served many years. There is a force in that sort of thing that the biggest organized vice situation in the world cannot defeat."

"Raid, Raid, Raid"
So far as known, only one place closed by the raiders has openly defied the police. This is the Venetian Cafe, one of the largest saloons in the central part of the city, and one of those visited by Governor Pinchot during his personal investigation of liquor violations several months ago.

The raiders swooped down on the cafe yesterday afternoon, arrested the proprietor and several barkeepers, and seized a large quantity of what they believed was illegal beer. Later the men arrested were released on copies of the charges issued by a magistrate. They hurried back to the saloon and resumed operations as soon as their supply of new goods could be replenished. The proprietor said he was selling only near beer.

When Butler heard the cafe had reopened, he ordered the police to "raid, raid, raid" until the proprietor of the Venetian becomes tired of being arrested, having his beer taken from him and closed down. The wearing down process could be launched today, the general said.

Despite the efforts of police, reports today showed that three hold-ups and 32 robberies were committed in the city yesterday, netting the thieves a total of \$3000.

While Gen. Butler was at a downtown district station late last night, six masked bandits attempted to rob a government warehouse three blocks away.

SEVERE STORMS ARE SWEEPING EUROPE

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Unusually severe storms, accompanied by intense cold and heavy snow, are sweeping Europe this winter. Off the coasts of Spain and France, the disturbances have created a serious menace to shipping, while in the North sea and in Scandinavian waters, the ice floes are so heavy that navigation in many places is difficult.

Not in many years have there been so many casualties from avalanches in the Swiss and French Alps. Heavy rains in the lower passes and foothills of the latter mountains have contributed largely to the Marine and Seine floods in France.

England also is suffering, although in a lesser degree. The cold in this country is severe and there is much snow, especially in the Midlands and in the North. The fall in southern England has not been great, but nevertheless, the sensational newspapers have proclaimed many of the storms as "blizzards."

Wind, snow and rain over all of western Europe, have seriously delayed telegraph communications. Until 5 o'clock this morning no press dispatches had reached England from Spain in more than 24 hours.

BUYING CROWD AT ASSIGNEES' SALE

The assignees' sale of the estate of Zena Clark Clark, Inc., in Merrimack street, opened at 10 o'clock this morning, attracting a large number of representatives from leading Lowell department stores, and a crowd of curious women shoppers who inspected and bought, at bargain prices, the stock and fixtures, consisting of women's wearing apparel, shoes, suits, dresses, shirts, millinery, shoes, wall charts, counters, chairs, dining tables, etc.

The assignees were William M. Silberman of Boston and Melvin G. Rogers of this city. Chester A. Bailey of Boston was the auctioneer.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was given in honor of Mr. Henry Russell, last evening, Jan. 9, at 103 Aiken street, on the occasion of his 55th anniversary. A large gathering of friends and relatives were present. Mr. Russell was presented a purse containing \$500 in gold, the presentation address being made by Miss Marie Wright and the gift presented by his son, Clarence Russell. A fine musical program was given during the evening and refreshments were served. The guests departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. Russell many happy returns of the day, and complimenting Mrs. Russell on her success in managing the affair.

EXCEPTIONAL

A full pound bottle of Effervescent Soda Phosphate \$1.00.

Pleasant and effective as a liver stimulant and remedy for constipation.

HOWARD

Apothecary
200 CENTRAL ST.
Cor. Hurd

FUNERAL NOTICES

DOUGHERTY—Died January 8, Frank J. Dougherty, 8 o'clock, from 14 Highland street. Funeral high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McLaughlin and Sons.

LYNDE—Died, Jan. 9th, at the Lowell city hospital, Mrs. Mary A. Lynde, aged 18 years, 3 months and 24 days. Funeral services will be held at the funeral home, 224 Westford street, Sunday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice, burial private at Melrose, Mass. The funeral arrangements are in charge of the Undertakers, Geo. W. Hickey.

McCAULEY—In this city, Jan. 9, at his home, 1 year of 234 Suffolk street, James McCauley. Funeral will take place Friday morning at 8:15 from 14 Highland street. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savary.

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DEATHS

WALSH—It will be with young Walsh, the younger son of the late John Walsh, parishioner of St. Michael's church of this city, that the death from pneumonia occurred at Westford, Mass., on Sunday, Jan. 7, at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Walsh, 224 Westford street. He was 21 years, 11 months and 14 days old. His death was sudden. He was the only child of his mother and father, who were both deceased. He was a very bright and cheerful boy, and was much loved by his family and friends. His funeral will be held at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Michael's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McLaughlin and Sons.

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SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

London, N. Y. Vigorously protests against proposed changes by Brig. Gen. Butler. Philadelphia's director of public safety, advising members to go to Canada if they must live.

Honorable members of Congress are declared to believe it unwise to enact Texas bill at this session of Congress.

Michigan motion picture owners are added to the list of those who have at least temporarily barred Mabel Normand's appearance in pictures.

Wall street estimate gives the value of Ford Motor Co. stock at \$150,000,000.

Two women and three children are found to death in cement box at Brookline, N. Y.

Dr. F. W. McNair, president of the Michigan college of mines, was knocked unconscious by a mine inspector. It is revealed in police court at Houston, Mo.

Woodrow Wilson declines to comment on the book plan, Washington dispatch to the New York Times says.

Six horses, including Eva Guy and one of her colts, are found to death in place owned by the Jacob Ruppert estate at Doughkeaper.

Mary Millicent Rogers, granddaughter of the late H. H. Rogers, was married on Tuesday to Count Ludwig von Hohenhausen, an Austrian, her parents announce at New York.

New York Tribune declares that William J. Sidis, a boy brain wonder of 1920, is now a m-f-o-c in the workaday world, earning \$25-a-week as a statistical clerk and preferring a job that demands no thinking.

Cherry & Webb Co.

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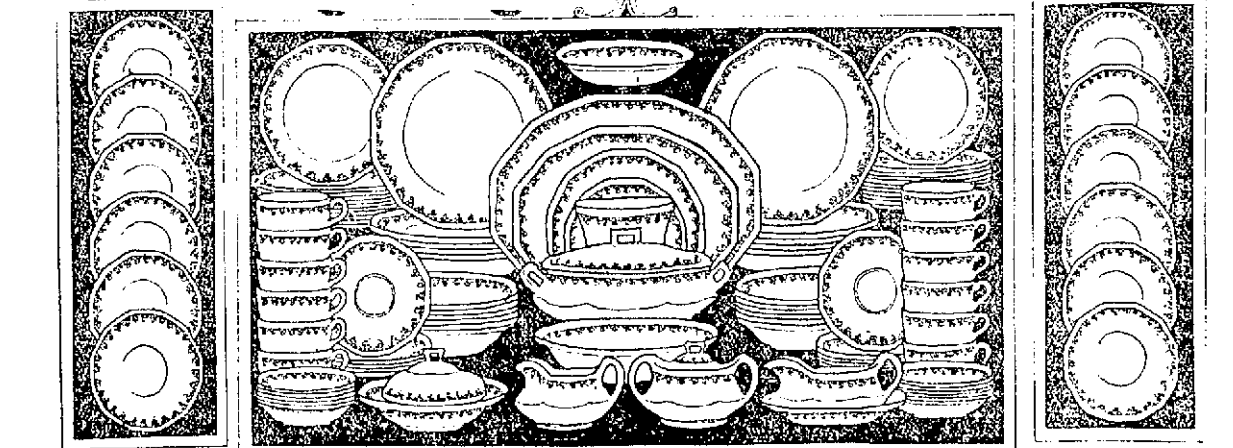
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GARFIELD'S PRICE \$3.95 GARFIELD'S PRICE

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MIDDLESEX CHAPTER ELECTS OFFICERS

Played by Rep. Corbett at E.
Chelmsford Improvement
Association Meeting

Dr. Clarence E. Livingston was elected president of Old Middlesex chapter, S.A.L., at the annual meeting of the organization held Tuesday evening in Cole's hall. Retiring President Howard W. Foster presided at the meeting. The following officers were elected in addition to President Livingston are as follows: Vice-president, H. B. Hobbie; secretary, J. W. Hall; treasurer, Warren W. Fox; auditor, Arza W. Downs; and Frederick A. Estes, chaplain. Rev. J. W. Hall, secretary, William W. Wiggin, chaplain.

President Huron H. Wiggin, of the New York chapter, announced the appointment of Major Frederick A. Estes as special commissary for the New York chapter. He also announced the appointment of new members. Mr. Wiggin also described the pamphlet that actuates the organization, "The American Soldier," which he said, was increasing steadily with other similar organizations throughout the country.

Charles H. Foster, past president of the New York chapter, was

WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION MEETING
The regular monthly meeting of the women's association of the First Congregational church was held yesterday afternoon in the ladies' parlors of the church. The meeting was presided over by the pastor, Rev. A. H. Jones, under the auspices of the American Home Mission society and following a short business meeting, Miss Alice M. Bell, general secretary of the social service league, spoke on the duties of the league and the excellent work accomplished by it locally. Following her address, a musical program consisting of piano and vocal selections was given. Tea was served later in the afternoon.

Friday morning in the Boston Public Library lecture hall, before the teachers' section of the New England Home Economics association. His topic will be "The Soul of Education." Miss Ella J. Spooner of Simmons college, will preside at the meeting.

The Lowell Memorial Auditorium has a seating capacity of 4000, imagine the Auditorium filled to capacity 20 times and you will get some idea of the number of people who read The Sun daily, and 30 per cent of the 80,000 readers of The Sun take up other Lowell newspaper.

WHEN HEART
FIGHTS HEART
MADAME X

HOME ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION
Alfred E. Stearns, principal of Phillips-Andover academy, is to speak Saturday.

1 lb Black Fleecy Hosi. To close	3
1 lb White Calhmerette. To close	1
1 lb White Calhmer and natural color quality. To close	4
1 lb Ballbriggan. To close	2
1 lb Wool Ribbed Heather; \$2 quality. To close	9
1 lb Silk, full fashioned, black, some color McCallum, Van Rindte Numan; \$2 quality To close	\$4

1 lot Plain and Lace Trimmed Envelope Chemises, regular \$1.00 and 89c quality, 59c, 2 for \$1.	
1 lot Extra Size Gowns. To close	8
1 lot Muslin and Crepe Gowns, \$1.00 quality. To close	7
1 lot White Hamburg Petticoats. To close	1
1 lot White Hamburg Petticoats. To close, \$1.	
1 lot Silk Camisoles, \$3.50 quality. To close, \$1.	
1 lot Muslin Envelope Chemises. To close, \$1.	
1 lot Muslin Gowns, \$2.10 quality. To close, \$1.	
1 lot Gowns, lace trimmed; \$3.98 quality. To close	\$2
1 lot Crepe de Chine Envelopes, extra quality. To close	\$2

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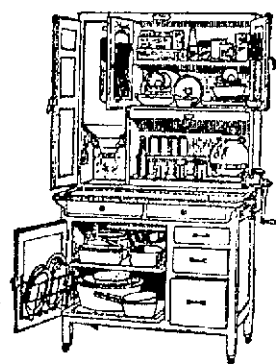
January Sale

**of Furniture
and Floor Coverings**

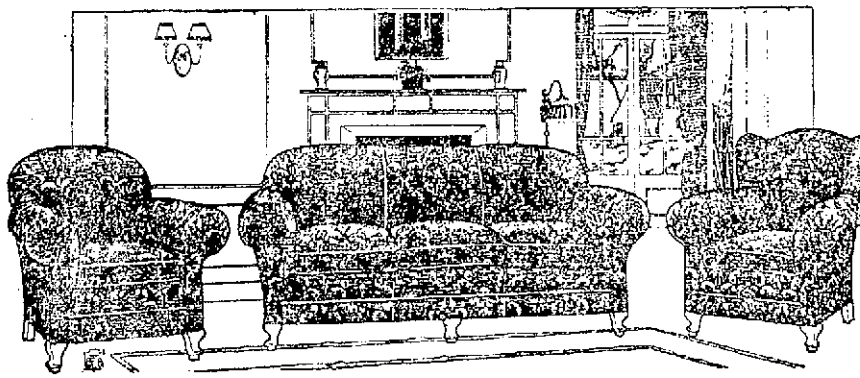
CASH

Starting Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock we are going to offer to the public of Lowell the greatest values in Furniture, Rugs, Bedding and Ranges that quality merchandise has ever been marked for many years. "Atherton" has become a household word in Lowell and the country 'round about, and when we advertise a "Markdown Sale" you get a genuine discount. In this sale every piece of furniture is reduced from 25% to 50%. Come early and buy while the stock is complete.

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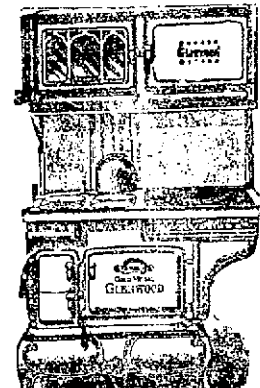
PARLOR SUITE SPECIALS

\$150.00 Value 3-Piece Mahogany Frame Cane Suite, upholstered in rich brown velvet. January Price, **\$112.50**

\$295.00 Value 3-Piece Tapestry Suite, full spring construction and extra fine quality throughout. January Price **\$189.50**

\$550 Value 3-Piece Mulberry and Brown "Chase" Mohair Suite—This is a genuine bargain and is surely worth looking at. Sale, **\$395**

Join Our
January
Glenwood
Range Club
\$5.00 DOWN
\$2.00 WEEKLY

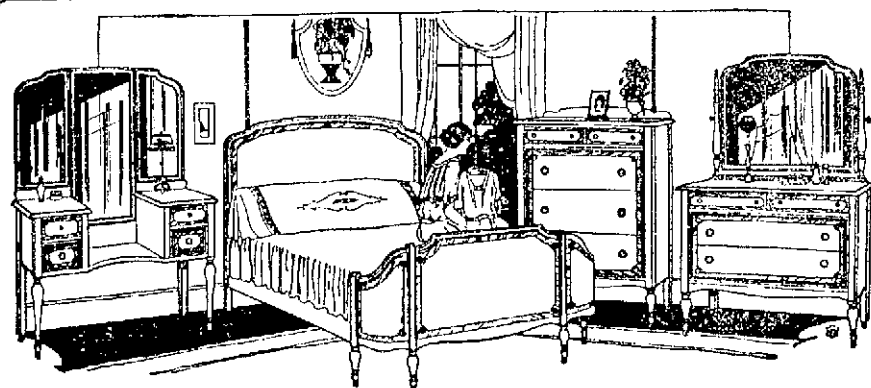


TO THE PUBLIC—

Again we announce our annual January Sale which this year takes on greater importance than ever before. For the past two years we have been hammering down prices until now we offer better values and lower prices than ever before. A comparison will tell you of real savings.

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\$295.00 Value 4-Piece American Walnut Suite—Dresser, full vanity, chiffonier and bow end bed. January Sale **\$198.00**

\$295.00 Value 3-Piece American Walnut Suite, consists of full vanity, chiffonier and bow end bed. January Sale **\$125.00**

\$200.00 Value 4-Piece Quartered Oak Colonial Style Suite—Dresser, vanity, chiffonier and bed. January Sale **\$125.00**

January Sale of
FLOOR COVERINGS
and
RUGS!



RUG SPECIALS

\$135.33 Value 9x10 Lyon Persian Rugs **\$99.99**
\$153.33 Value 9x12 Lyon Persian Rugs **\$115.00**
\$95.00 Value 9x12 Sanford's Cashmere Rugs **\$71.25**
\$80.00 Value 9x12 Sanford's Beauvais Rugs **\$66.75**
\$85.00 Value 8-3x10-6 Sanford's Cashmere Rugs **\$63.75**
\$15.00 Value 9x12 Tapestry Rugs **\$33.75**
\$10.00 Value 8-3x10-6 Tapestry Rugs **\$30.00**
\$12.00 Value 9x12 Grass Rugs **\$8.98**
\$16.50 Value 8-3x10-6 Bozart Rugs **\$10.98**
\$35.00 Value 6x9 Sanford's Rug **\$25.95**
\$8.00 Value 6x9 Wool Felt Rug **\$5.95**
\$10.50 Value 6x9 Bozart Rug **\$7.85**
\$2.75 Value Two-Tone Green Heatherdown Stair Runner, yard **\$1.98**
\$2.25 Value Tapestry Stair Runner **\$1.69**
\$1.85 Value Tapestry Stair Runner **\$1.38**

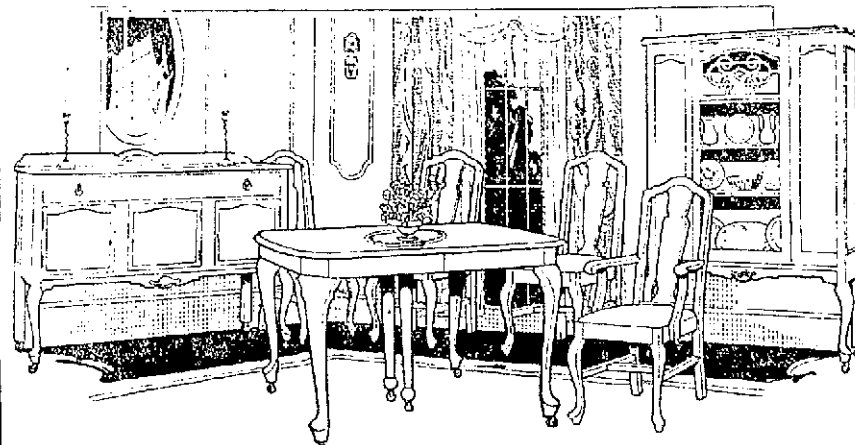
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9x12 Gold Seal Congolectum Art Rugs, no border, for **\$10.50**
9x12 Neponset Art Squares, \$18.83 value **\$14.13**
9x10 Neponset Art Squares, \$16.50 value **\$12.38**
9x9 Neponset Art Squares, \$14.05 value **\$10.54**
7-6x9 Neponset Art Squares, \$11.53 value **\$8.67**
6x9 Neponset Art Squares, \$9.27 value **\$6.96**
\$1.25 Value Armstrong's Printed Linoleum, square yard **94c**
\$1.35 Value Infant Linoleum, square yard **\$1.45**
\$2.40 Value Infant Linoleum, square yard **\$1.79**
\$1.00 Value Infant Linoleum, square yard **\$2.98**



DINING SUITE SPECIALS

\$210.00 Value 4-Piece Weathered Oak Suite, consists of buffet, oblong table, china, 5 chairs and arm chair. January Sale **\$157.25**

\$300.00 Value Mahogany 9-Piece Suite, consists of extra large buffet, oblong table, china, 5 chairs and arm chair. Sale, **\$225**

\$350.00 Value 10-Piece Two-Tone American Walnut Suite, consists of buffet, oblong table, china, 5 chairs and arm chair. January Sale **\$367**

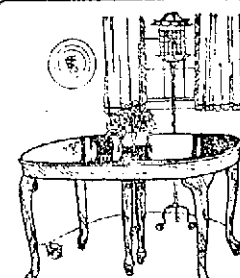
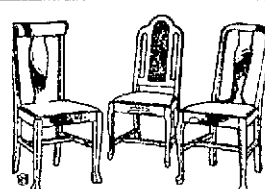


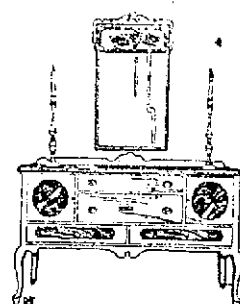
TABLE SPECIALS

\$50.00 Walnut Dining Table at **\$34.95**
\$75.00 Walnut Queen Ann Dining Table **\$49.50**
\$37.00 Oak Dining Table **\$27.25**
\$65 Oak Dining Table at **\$41.25**



DINING CHAIRS

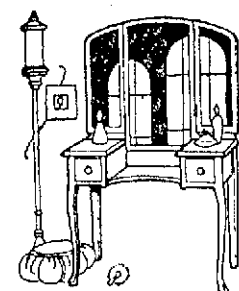
\$6.50 Oak Dining Chairs, leather seats **\$4.89**
\$11.50 Oak Arm Chairs, leather seats **\$8.49**
\$12.00 Walnut Arm Chairs, leather seats **\$8.98**
\$7.50 Walnut Dining Chairs at **\$5.65**



BUFFETS

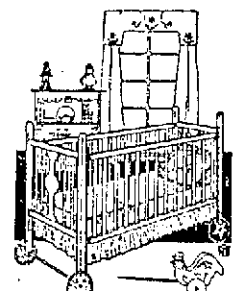
\$60.00 Oak Buffet **\$39.49**
\$70.00 Oak Buffet **\$44.49**
\$40.00 Oak Buffet **\$29.95**
\$65.00 Oak Buffet **\$48.75**

A-B-C ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINES—
Cash or Terms. For this sale **\$98.00**



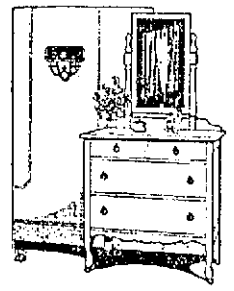
VANITY DRESSERS

Walnut Vanity (like cut) **\$23.95**
\$60 Walnut Vanity **\$39.95**
\$130 Full Vanity Genuine Walnut **\$99.00**
\$84.00 Full Vanity Genuine Walnut **\$63.50**



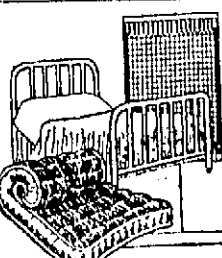
CRIBS

\$10.00 Kiddie Koup, **\$26.25**
\$18.00 White Wooden Crib at **\$13.50**
\$9.50 White Wooden Crib at **\$7.12**
\$33.00 Cream Enamel Bow End Crib **\$24.75**



DRESSERS

\$50.00 Mahogany Finish Dresser **\$21.98**
\$43 Walnut Dresser **\$31.98**
\$25 Oak Dresser **\$17.95**
\$70.00 Bird's Eye Maple Dresser **\$51.95**



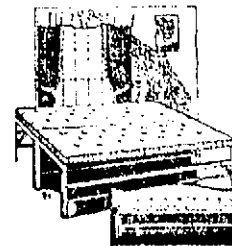
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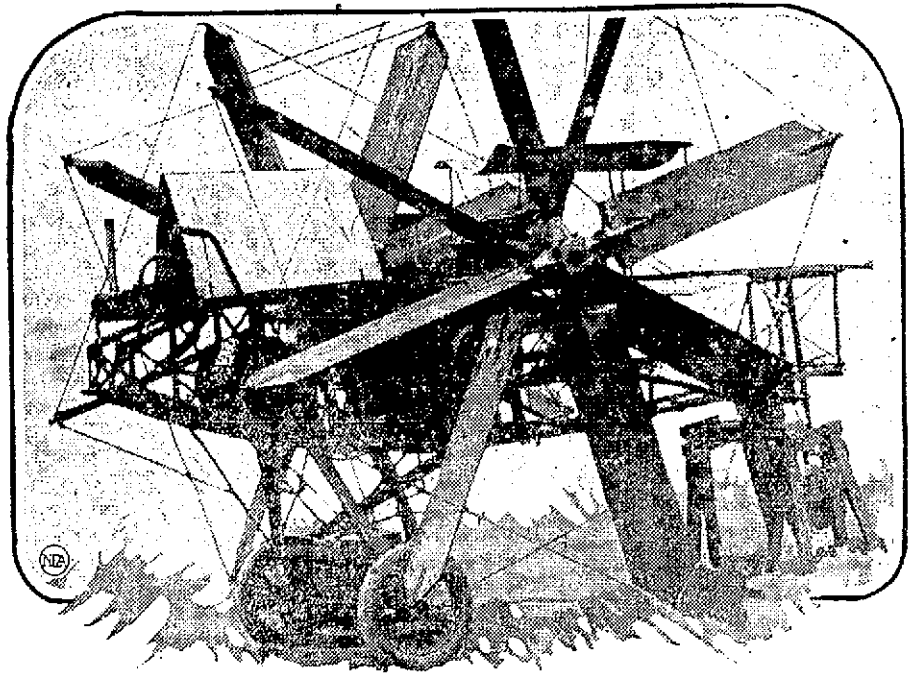
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FEUD WAGING IN PHILIPPINES

MANILA, Jan. 9. (By the Associated Press) There are indications that the feud between the legislative and executive branches of the Philippine government is waning. Governor General Leonard Wood said in addressing the American Chamber of Commerce here today.

PRES. COOLIDGE APPROVES RESOLUTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—President Coolidge today gave final approval to the shipping board resolution placing operation of the government's merchant fleet in the hands of the emergency fleet corporation. He made his approval, however, contingent on the board's co-operation.

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CHANGES WILL FAVOR EX-SERVICE MEN

A favorable change for ex-service men has been announced by the civil service commission, in the regulations governing the reopening of the examinations which have been held and closed. The new regulations covering such examinations are as follows:

Until further notice, American citizens who served as soldiers, sailors, or marines in any of the allied military forces between August 1, 1911, and July 2, 1921, and those who served in the American forces between April 6, 1917, and July 2, 1921, will be allowed to enter any examination for which there is an existing register, provided application is made during military service or not later than one year after their honorable discharge from the army, or termination of their active service in the Navy or Marine Corps.

The names of all such persons who pass the examination will be entered upon the eligible register, but preference in appointment will be given to those only who submit evidence that they have been honorably discharged. A soldier, sailor, or marine who served between August 1, 1911, and July 2, 1921, and who by reason of confinement in a government hospital under treatment has been prevented from taking an examination for which there is an existing register may be admitted to such examination, provided he makes application within one year after discharge from the hospital.

If the preliminary requirements of the examination are met, disabled ex-service men who have undergone training by the U. S. Veterans' bureau will be allowed to enter an examination for any government position for which they have been trained by the bureau, and for which there is an existing register, provided the application is accompanied by a certificate from the bureau showing that training will be completed within 90 days after the filing of the application, or the application, accompanied by a certificate from the bureau showing completion of training, is filed within one year after the completion of training.

VERY UNUSUAL AUTO ACCIDENT

One pedestrian was knocked down, another narrowly escaped injury and an automobile was badly damaged in an unusual automobile accident caused, according to the driver of the machine, by blindness brought about by the glare of a second machine on Varnum avenue, at about 7:30 last night.

The driver of the damaged machine was Charles Sharp, in his report of the accident he states he was coming down Varnum avenue towards the city when, near the boulevard, another machine passed him outward bound. The lights from this machine partially blinded Mr. Sharp and, as he recovered his sight, he saw his machine was almost at the point of striking a man crossing the street. In order to avoid this he swung his car sharply to the right and crashed into a telegraph pole. Getting out of his machine he saw a woman on the ground who had evidently been struck by his machine, although he does not know what part struck her. Upon inquiry he ascertained that she was Mrs. Courtney of 23 School street and took her to her home in another machine. Dr. Gardner was called in and reported the woman was uninjured but was suffering from nervous shock.

WOMEN VOTERS REGISTER IN DRACUT

The names of 50 women have been enrolled on Dracut voting lists since registration records were opened in Collinsville. Only 24 names of male voters were recorded at the opening of the lists there. The size of the women's registration has created marked interest in other sections of the town.

With the Kenwood registration of last Saturday, Dracut now has 105 new voters added to last year's list. The next session of the registrars will be at the town office on Arlington street at the centre, Saturday afternoon, from 2 to 4, and the last session in town before the primaries will be held at the navy yard hose house, Tuesday, Jan. 15, from 7:30 to 9 p. m.

COSTLY HOSIERY

Very gorgeous and expensive white silk hosiery has insets of real lace and hand embroidery.

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MEETING OF COMMUNITY CHEST COMMITTEE

A meeting of the community chest committee of the chamber of commerce and the Rotary club and representatives of the Boy Scouts, Girls' City Club, Social Service League, Humane Society, Florence Crittenton League, Fatherless Home, Boys' Club, Y.M.C.A., Y.W.C.A., and the Lowell Guild will be held at 8 o'clock this evening in the rooms of the chamber of commerce in the Fairbank building.

EXAM FOR CADETS AND CADET ENGINEERS

The United States coast guard announces that a competitive examination for appointment of cadets and cadet engineers will be held on April 7 of this year. The examining board considers that an exceptional opportunity for young men of the right caliber to acquire their education in the United States coast guard at government expense and to become commissioned officers in the guard, one of the military services of the country in which is offered service about and ashore. Cadets and cadet engineers receive the same pay and allowances as midshipmen in the navy (\$50 per annum and one vacation per day). The age limit for appointment of cadets of the line is 18 to 24 years, and for appointment of cadet engineers, 18 to 23 years. The training station is located in New London, Conn.

The examination for applicants in this district will be held at Boston. All candidates will be informed of their status as soon after the examination as practicable. For further information, write to the commandant, U. S. coast guard, Washington, D. C.

TO PREACH TRIDUUM AT ST. PATRICK'S

Rev. Fr. Bertrand, C.P., will preach a Triduum at St. Patrick's church opening this evening for the men of the parish. This three days' devotion is held in honor of the Holy Name. The preacher is from St. John's seminary in Brighton and is a well known pulpit orator.

GAVE TO NEW BEDFORD

Relatives of David Larpierre, who died of gas asphyxiation at New Bedford yesterday, were located at 3 and 1 Dutton street, by the police, last night. They left for New Bedford this morning to take care of funeral arrangements.

COLD

"Pape's Cold Compound"
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Take two tablets every three hours until three doses are taken. The first dose always gives relief. The second and third doses completely break up the cold. Pleasant and safe to take. Contains no quinine or opiates. Millions use "Pape's Cold Compound." Price, thirty-five cents. Druggists guarantee it.—Adv.

THE BARGAIN SENSATION OF LOWELL

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A backward season, due to unfavorable weather conditions has found us overstocked.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF
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\$20 Sport Coats

All lined.

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Velour Coats

Fur collars and plain.

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Bolivia Coats

Fur collars.

\$15.85

\$45 Coats

Fur collar and cuffs.

\$29.85

Suits

\$5.85, \$12.65

\$19.50 and

\$22.65

Values: \$25.00 to \$45.00.

Dresses

\$4.95, \$6.85,

\$9.85, \$12.75

\$15.85

Values: \$15.00 to \$27.50.

\$55 Plush Coats

Sizes to 54.

\$32.85

Fur Coats

\$37.50, \$69.85,

\$99.85 to

\$150.00

Values: \$65.00 to \$200.00.

Skirts

Extra size belts.

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Good Health In Happy Old Age

THE chief concern of elderly people is their health, and that is best assured by regular daily bowel movement. There is no truth, however, in the notion that because you are old you need a "strong physic." In fact, just because you are old and laxative is better for you. The fact is, with purges and cathartics, the system and weaken it, not only the muscles of digestion flabby, Dr. C. H. Brown, V. S., of Frederic, Wis., nearly wrecked his stomach with purgatives. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin restored his health, as it did Mrs. J. S. Etheridge's, of Milledgeville, Ga.

Does Not Gripe

You can be sure of satisfactory evacuations every day if you will take a spoonful of Syrup Pepsin at night when you retire. You will need to take it very long as a few doses will soon encourage the bowels to act for themselves. The popularity of this wonderful family remedy has become so great that it is now the

largest-selling liquid laxative in the world. Because of its mildness and freedom from gripping it is especially ideal for the extremes of ages, for children and for elderly people.

Effective at Small Cost

Get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at any drug store. The formula is on the package, and the cost less than a cent a dose. Take it when you feel heavy, sleep poorly, have headache or night cramps, for these are also symptoms of constipation. Give it to the children when they are restless, feverish or have a cold. Syrup Pepsin will keep you and the family free from constipation, a condition that lowers the vitality 25 per cent and raises the blood pressure 28 per cent. Freedom from constipation lessens the pain of kidney trouble, neuritis and rheumatism.

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"Syrup Pepsin," 517 Washington St.,
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I need a good laxative and would like to prove what you say about Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin by actual test. Send me a free trial bottle. Address to

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Not more than one free trial bottle to a family

SERVICE CANCELING DATE POSTPONED

Today was the date selected by the managing directors of the Massachusetts Northeastern Street Railway corporation to cancel service on the 11-mile right of way that connects Lowell and Pelham with the city of Nashua. Because of the fact that protesting citizens have brought the matter to a head and the New Hampshire public service commission is now considering both sides of the controversy that followed the railway's obtaining a permit to abandon its street car service between the points named, the corporation has decided to continue running cars until Wednesday night, Jan. 16.

If, on that date, no decision as to the future of the Pelham-Nashua line is made or promised with proper local backing, the ancient street railway line that enabled Lowell citizens to travel to Nashua all the way on electric cars via Moody street, will be closed down tight and no more service given, at least by the Massachusetts Northeastern.

The main hope of the citizens of Pelham now is the plan broached by the Nashua Street Railway officials, who are said to be considering buying the Pelham-Nashua line franchise and operating cars providing some of the towns along the right of way will assist the road financially for some time to come.

FIGURED SILKS

Figured silks, in shades of orchid or rose, are seen in the Palm Beach collections.

WILL FILE PARTY BILL FOR LOWELL

Rep. Victor F. Jowett said today he has every reason to believe that one of the final legislative delegations will file a party-line bill for Lowell before the expiration time on Saturday at 5 p. m.

"I understand such a bill is ready for filing," he said, "although I have not heard from it directly for the past two or three days."

Alkali In Soap Bad For the Hair

Soap should be used very carefully. If you want to keep your hair looking its best, many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali. This drives the scalp makes the hair brittle and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulshed coconut oil shampoo, which is pure and alkaline, and is better than anything else you can use. Two or three teaspoonsful is sufficient to change your hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rises out easily removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy, wavy, and easy to manage.

You can get Mulshed coconut oil shampoo at any drug store. It is inexpensive and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.—Adv.

BUCK AND WING DANCE BY BOYS AND GIRLS

Did you ever see an ensemble of 150 girls and boys do a buck and wing dance? This is to be one of the many features of the K. of C. musical show, "Let's Go," in the Auditorium next Tuesday night, and according to Harry S. Orr, producer of the show, it will mark the first time a dance of this nature has been done by an entire ensemble. An individual buck and wing is in itself a novelty, but a buck and wing chorus really exhausts one's supply of descriptive adjectives in attempting a commentary. The "Let's Go" cast will show just how it is done next Tuesday night.

MAKES THE DEAF HEAR

Remarkable Invention Enables the Deaf to Hear All Sounds Clearly

Everyone who is troubled with deafness in any form will be interested in the announcement of the Dictograph Products Corporation, Suite 117A, Blake Building, Boston 11, Mass., that they have at last perfected a device which will enable everyone whose auditory nerve is not entirely destroyed to hear as perfectly as one whose hearing is normal. To test it thoroughly they sent it to a number of people who had been deaf for years and they report most gratifying results. Many state that they hear the slightest sound with perfect ease and that their natural hearing has been greatly improved. The manufacturers are so proud of their achievement and so confident that every deaf person will be amazed and delighted with it, that they offer to send it to anyone by prepaid parcel post on ten days' free trial. They do not ship C.O.D., nor do they require any deposit, but send it entirely at their own risk and expense, allowing the user ten full days to try it and decide whether they want to keep it or not. As there is no obligation whatever, everyone who is troubled with deafness in any form should take advantage of this liberal free trial offer. Just send them your name and address for descriptive literature and free trial request blank.

BIRTH RATE GOES UP IN FRANCE

PARIS, Jan. 10.—While the franc goes down, the birthrate goes up, according to official statistics, for the first three months of the year 1923. In the 50 departments there were 581,459 births in that period against 566,007 deaths, or an excess of 115,452 births.

B. & M. CURETMENT
Yard crew payrolls of the Boston & Maine have been slightly reduced in local complement during the past few days, owing to slump in work requirements, due principally to business depression in various sections of New England. Two switchers have been allowed to go and Sunday work has been slightly curtailed. At the Billerica, exchange employees have been placed on a five-day working basis per week.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



THE MAJOR BRINGS HOME A VALUABLE HOUND

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DEBATING SOCIETY

The Knights of Columbus debating society will present its first debate before the members of Lowell council tonight, when P. Harold Ready and Charles O'Neil will uphold the negative side of the question: "Resolved—That the Senate Practice a System of Old Age Pensions" against the affirmative. The judges will be Grand Knight Draves, Hugh S. Moley and Edward J. Gallagher.

The question to be debated is one that was raised in the last session of the legislature of this state, and is being thoroughly investigated by a special commission appointed by the governor of Massachusetts, at the present time. Public hearings have been held throughout the state and the commission has found that the proposed legislation has stirred up a great deal of interest and feeling, both for and against the adoption of the law.

The men who are to discuss the question are well known in the council and are putting in intensive work on the preparation of the debate, and the indications are that they will also conduct an interesting discourse on the merits of the questions involved. As this is the initial step in the formation of a debating society in this council, the committee is in hopes that its efforts will receive the support of the members of the order, and that they will come forward and take their part in future debates.

MADE DISTRICT MANAGER

The many friends in Lowell and North Chelmsford of Arthur J. Walsh, a former resident of North Chelmsford, will be pleased to hear that he has been appointed district manager of the District office of the Pinkerton Tobacco Company. Mr. Walsh, who is only 25 years of age, has been in the employ of the company six years, having started as agent in northern New England. Promotions came rapidly to him, and he is now in charge of all work in the Detroit district of the company.

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The Sun goes home and stays home. It is read by all members of the family in the evening, when they have time to read. The Sun carries the message of its advertisers to over 50,000 readers daily. No other newspaper in Lowell carries the service to its advertisers that The Sun does.

GAINED WEIGHT AND STRENGTH

Mrs. Howard Weighed Only Ninety-Eight Pounds and Almost Lost Hope But Is Well Now

"I suffered with asthma for over two years," says Mrs. Atlantic Howard of No. 21 Portland street, Portland, Me. "At times I was in bed for a week or more, and although I took a great deal of medicine nothing gave me permanent relief."

"Walking up stairs would tire me out and make my heart palpitate as if it would jump out of my chest. I was nervous and nervous and began to think that I never would get strong again. My weight went down to 85 pounds and my back ached continually. I did not sleep well and just dragged around from day to day."

"Upon the advice of a friend I was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and soon found that they were giving me new life and ambition. I felt stronger and did not have that tired feeling. As I continued to take the pills I gained in weight. Now I weigh 120 pounds. I feel strong and healthy, and I feel good all the time. I never have the pains in my back now. I used twelve boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I cannot say too much for them. I feel a new blood builder again. I shall certainly take them."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or direct from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., on receipt of ten cents per box. Send for the free booklet, "Building Up the Blood."—Adv.

When You Catch Cold Rub on Musterole

Musterole is easy to apply and it acts in its good work right away. It prevents a cold from turning into influenza or pneumonia. Just apply Musterole with the fingers. It does all the good work of Chamberlain's mustard plaster without the blister. Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made of oil of mustard and other home remedies. It is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Try Musterole for sore throat, cold on the chest, rheumatism, lumbago, pleurisy, stiff neck, bronchitis, croup, neuritis, congestion, pains and aches of the back and joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten, eczema of all sorts.

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in ointment form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

35c and 65c jars and tubes; hospital size, \$2.00



Better than a mustard plaster.—Adv.

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\$2.25—Now \$1.39

SCISSORS
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\$5.00—Now \$3.50

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\$1.95 qt. Now \$1.39 qt.

2-INCH BRUSHES
85c—Now 69c

PERFECTION OIL HEATERS
\$7.00—Now \$5.98

MILLER OIL HEATERS
\$9.50—Now \$7.19

OAK BEVERAGE KEGS
5-gal., \$2.25—Now \$1.69
10-gal., \$2.50—Now \$1.89

MOP WRINGERS
\$2.75—Now \$1.98

STEEL WOOL
All grades. 10c pkg.—Now 7c pkg.

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\$1.25—Now 89c
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Are You a Worn Out Working Man?

Many a man whose blood is thin and pale starts the day's work almost as tired as if he had worked all day. You cannot have the strength to go through exhausting work day after day, unless your blood is rich enough to get the good out of your food. It is a natural iron that makes rich, red blood. Without iron, your food merely passes through you, you do not get the good out of it.

INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS

Lowell Electric Light Plant on Perry Street Has Modern Steel Chimney

Lowell's latest sign of industrial progress is the near completion of a monster chimney of modern steel construction, with many structural composition elements never before enlisted in similar Lowell industrial plant extensions. The new smoke stack of gigantic size now limits the sky over the new boiler room of the Lowell Electric Light Corporation plant on Perry street and is attracting attention from residents of the neighborhood and many passers-by.

Yesterday the last enormous pair of ring plates in a series of similar steel "half circles" were drawn by cables up the outside of this tall pile of expertly joined steel, shingles, and placed in required positions for bolting together.

When the new steel shaft is firmly "topped" by the structural workers, who have been perched for weeks past on narrow swinging platforms high in the frigid temperature zone, they will come to earth and stay there for the present.

The feats of the small band of plate-adjusters, rigging men and bolting men, who have been toiling unceasingly on this dangerous job of job, have been watched intently by city folk who wondered how the workmen could handle the mighty circles of thick steel so easily and call for more.

Electric light company officials are pleased with the success of the construction work and the activities of the sturdy structural workers who have never made a misstep on the Perry street job since the foundation was begun. The only thing needed now to wind up the contracting job will be the finishing of the outside iron ladder that now stretches far up the outside of the steel chimney within a few yards of the topmost rim. It must be brought up and over this rim in order to be a real safety ladder.

After the outside work is done, but before it receives its coat of heavy fireproof paint, the steel chimney will be safeguarded from fire and weather corrosion in the interior by the laying of a brick chimney within the steel structure, clear to the top. This brick "lining" is necessary to protect the life of the whole structure and protect the steel walls as long as possible. The building of the brick chimney wall in this manner is said to be the first attempt to increase the life of a busy chimney anywhere in Lowell, the method adopted by the electric light company being recommended only a short time ago by engineering experts.

Supt. Cecil W. Brown this morning gave The Sun some interesting figures covering the construction work that has attracted so much attention in the Belvidere section of Lowell during the past few months. The chimney appears to shoot up rather closely beside the two large brick chimneys of the electric light corporation on Perry street. As a matter of fact, it is nearer many yards away and is taller than the other two, although not so large around as one of the older chimneys.

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MAGNESIA BEST FOR YOUR DIGESTION

Warns Against Doping Stomach With Artificial Digestants

Most people who suffer, either occasionally or chronically from gas, sourness and indigestion, have now discovered an agreeable, effective, potent food and the use of harmful drugs, stomach tonics, medicines and artificial digestants and instead, following the advice so often given in these columns, take a teaspoonful or two of tablets of Bismuth Magnesia in a little water after meals with the result that their stomachs no longer troubles them, they are able to eat as they please and they enjoy much better health. Those who use Bismuth Magnesia never dread the approach of meal time because they know this wonderful antacid and food corrector, which can be obtained from any good drug store, will instantly neutralize the stomach acidity, sweeten the stomach, prevent food fermentation, and without the slightest pain or discomfort. Try this plan yourself, but be certain to get pure Bismuth Magnesia especially prepared for stomach use.—Adv.

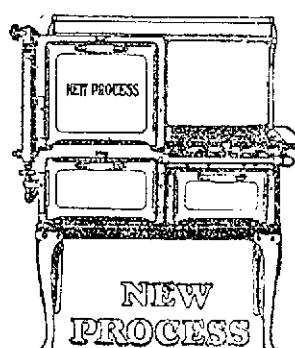
You Can Do It Better With Gas

We'll Give \$10 for That Old

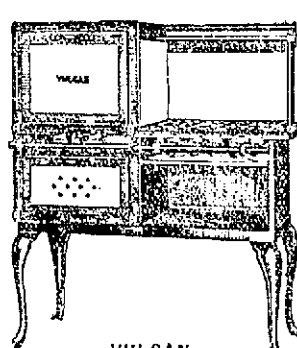
Worn Out Range

Nearly fifty families have taken advantage of our liberal offer of \$10 for their old gas or coal range.

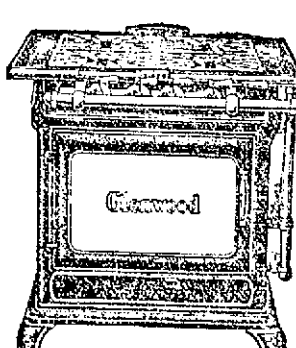
In Lowell, there are hundreds of people who are using old coal and gas ranges that are costly. These are the people whom we are aiming at in this sale.



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When you can get an allowance of \$10 in the purchase of new equipment.

This sale comes but once a year, and we would advise those who contemplate brightening up their kitchen to lessen the work of mother or the maid, to do so now.

On the purchase of a Cooker, a \$5.00 allowance will be made, providing the purchaser turns in an old gas or coal range.

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E. CLAYTON in "CAN A WOMAN LOVE TWICE?"

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Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 6



The next time the great train started to slow down, Jack became greatly excited. He had never been on a ranch and the thought of living with cowboys for a while thrilled him. Finally the train stopped and just before the baggage door was thrown open Jack grabbed hold of Flip.



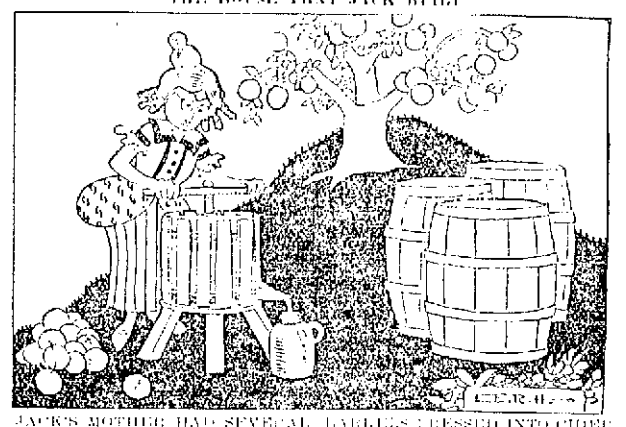
"Now you stay right with me," he whispered in his dog's ear. Then the baggage man shook Jack's hand and told him to climb down out of the car. Jack went to the door, and a great sight greeted him. Right there, by the car, was a cowboy, sitting astride a black and white pony.



"Hello there, young fellow," shouted the cowboy. "They told me, in the passenger coach that you had disappeared from the train, but I figured I'd find you back with your dog." Then the cowboy rode right up to the baggage car door and lifted both Jack and Flip down. (Continued.)

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton



JACK'S MOTHER HAD SEVERAL TABLES DRESSED INTO CHAIRS. There was to be a party in the would have empty lobster shells. How those that Jack (Jill?) A sort of group of not. But I do believe you house warming, you might say, for the know what I meant all the time, house was just finished, and Jack and his mother and Jill, his sister, had just moved from their old house on Pippin Hill to the pretty little cottage on Brown Street, named in honor of Mother Goose.

Jack thought they ought to change the name of the street to "Pumpkin Pie" in honor of Pippin Hill, as Mother Goose was away as much, but Mother Goose wouldn't hear to it. He said it was bad enough to have one street to keep without another to worry him. He meant the street about the sign that he and Tom Tucker had changed "round the then which said Mother Goose (for Land?) They had turned it over and printed "Pumpkin Pie" on the other side.

Well, anyway, the party in Jack's house on Brown Street was going to be a wonderful affair. Doctor P. P. P. Pumpkin Pie had helped to decorate, and to use his own words, as he had many empty pumpkin shells that fifty moving lobsters, he said he would cut Jack and Jill's cake, and give them one and one cookie. Jack, however, had a stick of butter would donate them, for nothing.

What's that, you dearest? Fifty growing lobsters wouldn't have any pumpkin shells? Why, of course not, they

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

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EFFORT TO UNSEAT CUMMINS AS PRESIDENT PROTEM OF SENATE

Defeated Yesterday by Sen. Smith as Chairman of
Senate Commerce Committee—House Begins Work
on First Big Appropriation Measure of Session

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(Reverberations from the month's battle in the Senate which resulted in the election yesterday of Senator Smith, Democrat, South Carolina, as chairman of the Interstate Commerce committee over Senator Cummins, Republican, Iowa, continued today in the form of rumormongering that a somewhat serious fight would ensue over the retention by the Iowa senator of the office of president pro tem.

The House, meanwhile, began work on the first big appropriation measure of the session—the interior department supply bill, which was reported yesterday by the appropriations committee with the total cut to \$281,727,955, which is \$65,282,544 less than allotted to the department last year.

Senator Cummins was defeated for the Interstate Commerce chairmanship on the 32nd ballot, receiving only 22 votes against 25 votes for Smith, which included six cast by Senator La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin, and five members of the insurgent group he heads. Senator Cummins, Republican, Michigan, received six votes on the final ballot.

The likelihood of an effort to unseat the Iowa senator as president pro tem now that the chairmanship fight is out of the way, has brought out suggestions in some quarters that certain of the Republican insurgents and the former-labor senators comprising the La Follette group, might throw their support to Senator Pittman, Democrat, Nevada. The insurgents have been described as willing to vote for Senator Cummins for the office if the Democrats precluded a contest, but antipathies developed during the interstate commerce committee deadlock have raised hopes on the part of some of Senator Pittman's supporters that their votes can be counted on in an effort to elect him. Republican organization senators have contended that Senator Cummins retains the senate presidency by virtue of his election at the last session of Congress, and they have not formally indicated their intention for reelection.

In the House, the Republican conference tonight on tax and bonus legislation overshadowed other activities, to some extent, but the Dyer anti-linching bill, the Mexican situation and agriculture's problems received a share of committee attention with the ways and means committee continuing its work on revenue legislation.

The Dyer bill, which was passed by the House at the last session but failed to get through the Senate was taken up by the Judiciary committee, under the administration's policy with respect to adding the obstruction government through the sale of surplus war materials and in other ways recruited the foreign affairs committee in its consideration of the resolution introduced by Representative Fawcett, Republican, New York, to prohibit sale of munitions by the United States to any foreign government.

The House immigration committee began work on a draft of the proposed new bill, which would restrict immigration to two percent of the foreign-born population in the United States in 1924 and to five percent of the blood relatives of foreign-born here, and the agriculture committee of both the Senate and House continued their studies of farm relief legislation.

MR. WELLS TALKS ON GETTING RICH QUICK SCHEMES

Under the general head of "The Perils of the Creditors," the first of a series of lectures was given to the students of the State Normal school yesterday afternoon by George E. Wells, secretary of the chamber of commerce, an "Schemes for Getting Rich Quick." The speaker was introduced by Clarence P. Wood, principal of the school.

The majority of the get-rich-quick schemes, according to Mr. Wells, are operated through securities, which are in reality worthless, and instead of leading the purchaser rich, leave him much poorer. Figures have been compiled to show the amount of money lost in the last few years in the United States through the operations of wild cat stock, to amount to about one hundred million dollars. Lowell has probably contributed to this figure about three millions in the last few years. A prominent Lawrence business



GEORGE E. WELLS

man has stated that the amount of money from that city invested in the bond bubble would have been sufficient to purchase a controlling interest in the Pacific mills or in all the Lawrence banks.

Mr. Wells described at length the method used by bond agents in their work, and told of their trying to start Lowell off right by selling some of the stock of the chamber of commerce, who investigated the schemes and then ordered the salesman out of town, saving a vast sum of money for the residents of the city.

Another scheme of which he spoke was the well known question of pure fishing through banks for investment in spite of the fact that they continue to go down in value. The ones who came to the chamber for advice in this matter were told not to buy but a few were stubborn enough to go ahead, and have since gained valuable and costly experience. In the manner in which banks have become next to worthless, in closing he warned the school that the most dangerous thing is letting yourself be rushed into buying without time to investigate the stock or and out about it from some reliable source and declared the Lowell chamber of commerce would give advice on such purchases to anyone who would come in, free of charge. Much has been done through the city law passed in Massachusetts and elsewhere, to cut down these impostors but there is a lot of work left, and in the meantime the safest method of procedure in stocks or in real estate is to make sure before purchasing.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Ernest Perry and Miss Abigail de St. Vincent were married at St. Joseph's rectory on Tuesday afternoon by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Carrothers. The bride wore a suit of blue tulle and hat to match. Mr. Perry is of George and Mr. William Perry attended the couple. The bridal couple left immediately on a wedding trip.

2ND ANNUAL DANCE

By the Regular Club
LINCOLN HALL
Friday, January 11, 1924
Admission.....40c, Tax Paid

FISH AND GAME MEN MEET IN BOSTON

Nearly 400 members and friends of the Massachusetts Fish and Game association celebrated the commencement of the 50th anniversary year with a dinner and lecture in Boston yesterday. The dinner was held in Ford hall. The annual fish and game conference was held in the morning at the state house. William C. Adams, director of the state division of fisheries and game, presided over the conference. The Lowell Fish and Game club was represented as usual by Secretary Willis R. Holt. In his address, Director Adams declared that pollock and large and small-mouthed black bass were fast decreasing in quantities in Bay State ponds and streams. He declared that the old colonial statute, which provided for the preservation of fish, was being violated. He declared that the number of traps used in winter fishing be reduced from 10 to 5 and that a committee be created to provide for the suspension of the hunting and fishing license for one year of any person found violating the property of another while hunting or fishing.

W. R. Farmer of Hampton Falls, N. H., presided at the annual business meeting. Mr. George W. Field gave a report on the investigation of the pollution of public waters and outlined a legislative bill. Resolutions were passed favoring the federal game refuge, public shooting ground bill, house of representatives No. 745, now before the Congress.

The new president of the association is George M. Poland.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's Associate bldg.
Catering the best—Lyden, Tel. 4334.
J. P. Donohoe, 222-223 Hildreth bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

A son was born January 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Hayes of 165 Union street, North Andover. Mrs. Hayes was formerly Miss Anna Bradley of Lowell.

Tonight at the school hall in St. Patrick's parish will be opened the class in oral English and parliamentary law, the teacher of which will be Miss Elizabeth L. McManis of Cambridge.

Sir William A. Lloyd, who is staying in Lowell for a short time on his way home to Sydney, Australia, from Paris, is the guest of Dr. A. Georgiadis, at 12 "1922 St."

Mayor John J. Donohoe spent the forenoon today in Lawrence in the interests of local disabled war veterans who have business with the veterans' bureau in that city, which includes Lowell in its district. The mayor will make such a trip monthly and finds many opportunities to discuss matters of interest to the service men.

A large delegation of officers and members of Lowell Indian, No. 87, P. O. E. U. S., visited Wakefield last night and attended District Deputy Grand and District Deputy Michael B. McCarroll of Wakefield before his official installation.

All members of the 34th company, Coast Artillery, Reserves, to be present at the office of the reserve, 208 Third building, at 7.30 this evening to inform so that the necessary alterations may be made.

Stanley Caswell of Cheshamford Center, called in the 11th Cavalry, in uniform through the Lowell station in Central street. After a period of training at Fort Eustis, in Boston harbor, he will be in to join a troop stationed at Fort Ord in San Francisco, California.

TAILORED SUITS
The tailored suit is due for a comeback, according to all indications. Tailored blouses of crepe de chine or silk broadcloth are shown on the smartest thing.



RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF REV. P. J. HALLY

Division H. A.G.U.L. has adopted the following resolutions on the death of Rev. Patrick J. Hally, late pastor of St. Columba's church:

The memory of our birth and state. Are shadows, not substantial things. There is no armor against fate. Death has his hands on kings.

At the end of our late brother, Rev. Patrick J. Hally, came forth to the great beyond, we are reminded of his piety, sincerity, integrity, and gentle personality.

In his death our order has lost a consistent and unchanging advocate of liberalism as well as a patient and true apostle.

This priestly career was one act of fidelity to its responsibilities and his friendship a blessing to all who shared it.

Whereas: We, the members of Division H. Ancient Order of Hibernians, Lowell, Mass., sincerely grieve at the death of our beloved and faithful member, Rev. Patrick J. Hally, whom the ties of association and friendly intercourse have made him dear to us all and whose life was one act of fidelity to duty, and

Whereas: His sister has lost a loving brother and our order and holy mother church a true apostle, be it

Resolved: That to his sister in this hour of grief we extend our deep sympathy and the assurance of our prayers and remembrance, and be it

Further Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be entered upon the records of this meeting and another copy be sent to the loved and sister of the deceased, and that the official organ of the A.O.U.L. and that the division charter be draped for a period of 30 days.

FATHER E. PINNICK, Chairman.
MICHAEL J. BRYAN,
JAMES J. McMANIS, Secretary.
JOHN TAIT,
JOHN McNERNEY.

MILL FLOOR COLLAPSED—TEN KILLED

BRADFORD, England, Jan. 10.—(By the Associated Press) From eight to ten persons, it is feared, were killed today through the collapse of the upper floor of a spinning mill on Wharf street, here. Heavy masses of machinery crashed through the floors beneath and imprisoned 40 workers in the debris. Scores of police and firemen this afternoon were feverishly hauling up the machinery in an effort to release the imprisoned ones.

SON OF FEUD LEADER FOR SHERIFF

LOGAN, W. Va., Jan. 10.—Dennis Hatfield, youngest son of the late "Devil Anse" Hatfield, noted leader in the Hatfield-McCoy feud, is a candidate for sheriff of Logan county. Young Hatfield, a cousin of former Governor Henry D. Hatfield, in a statement made public today, announced that he would run for sheriff, to succeed Don Chadin, at the next election. He operates a store at Barnabus, the historic home village of the Hatfield family.

NEGRO RAN AMUCK; SHOT THREE PERSONS

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 10.—Charles Bonworth, negro, ran amuck on downtown streets here last night, shooting right and left. Three men, two of them believed to be wounded fatally and the other seriously injured, were his victims. Scores fled for their lives.

GIRL KILLED BY FILIPINO

ELIZABETH, N. J., Jan. 10.—Miss Ellen Alber, 17, was shot three times and mortally wounded by Felix Salazar, 25, a Filipino, at her home here today. The shooting took place in the hallway of the girl's home. She died in a hospital. Salazar was arrested and is said by the police to have confessed to the killing.

19 SOLDIERS KILLED IN CLASH

MANILA, Jan. 9.—(By the Associated Press) Strong reinforcements are on their way tonight to Surigato, island of Mindanao, the constabulary post nearest the island of Bucas, where 19 constabulary soldiers were killed in a clash with religious fanatics.

NOTICE

We are in the midst of STOCK-TAKING

And haven't the time to write our usual "ad"---enumerating all the bargain items.

However, we can truthfully say that any odds and ends or broken sizes will be sold at give-away prices, so be on hand early---

Friday and Saturday

For some of the lots may be small.

ONLY A FEW MONEY SAVERS WE KNOW OF

MEN'S CAPS	"IDE" SEMI-SOFT COLLARS	MORE GOOD SHIRTS	MEN'S HDKF'S
15c	14c, 1 for 50c	\$1.00	6 for 25c

HARRISON'S

166 Central Street

POSSEMEN, LED BY BLOODHOUNDS, ON TRAIL OF OUTLAW BAND

Search Everglades for Member of Famous Ashley Gang
Who Escaped After Gun Fight—Murder, Robbery,
Moonshining and Piracy the Crimes Credited to Gang

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 10.—Officers and possemen are following three trails through the Everglades in pursuit of members of the famous Ashley gang who escaped after a gun fight which began early yesterday and in which one outlaw was left dead in the bandit camp in payment for the life of one officer. The fighting started when Sheriff Bob Baker and four deputies sought to enter the hidden camp to capture John W. Ashley on a charge of highway robbery. Deputy Sheriff Fred Baker was killed by a lookout.

The pursuers, led by packs of bloodhounds, are determined to wipe out the outlaw band, which is held responsible for many of the major crimes in Florida during the past 10 years, and know that they are seeking men who will die fighting.

Last night deputy sheriffs encountered John Ashley, son of Joe Ashley near Ocala, and exchanged shots with him. The officers' automobile stalled and Ashley approached, not recognizing the deputies.

He was ordered to throw up his hands, but whipped out his pistol, fired and fled. At the house of John Rogers, nearby, the officers learned that Albert Miller, severely wounded, alleged slayer of Deputy Fred Baker, had fled when he heard the exchange of shots.

It was Miller, the officers said, who, acting as a lookout at the bandits' tent camp, fired from behind a tree and killed Baker.

The heavy firing from the camp led the officers to believe they were outnumbered, and Sheriff Baker left two men to watch while he and the fourth deputy went to Stuart, five miles north, for aid. He returned with 20 possemen, but the camp was found deserted, even for Laura L'ephegrove, a camp follower, who was wounded in the main and leg, and the wife of Wesley Mobley, who was sitting beside the body of Joe Ashley, brought down by a rain of bullets as he rose from bed to fight.

The men hunt with an increasing number of possemen then was gotten under way in earnest.

Possemen burned the Joe Ashley home, that of his son-in-law and Albert Miller's grocery.

The bandit camp was three miles from the nearest roadway, in a dense clump of trees and vegetation through which it was impossible to go more than a few yards. In that secluded spot, officers asserted, the Ashley gang planned its holdups and bank robberies. One of the largest stills ever captured in this section, was found in the camp.

Murder, bank robbery, moonshining, piracy on the high seas, and robbery of run runners, are among the crimes credited to the Ashley gang.

DISTRICT COURT REPORT

Clerk's Annual Report Shows
Increase of \$11,489.97
Over Preceding Year

The annual report of Edward W. Trull, clerk of the Lowell district court, shows an increase of \$11,489.97 in money collected over the preceding year. The amount in 1923 being \$87,866.18 against \$76,376.21 in 1922. Of this amount, \$12,354 was received in automobile fines for the state. Dog duty totaled \$24; liquor and other fines, \$3,676.50; balls and tenders, \$76.50; receipts on sale of writs, entries, small claims, other civil fees and interest on deposits, \$2,105.31; paid by defendants in small claims, \$2,241.25.

The expenditure side of the report shows that the state treasury received \$12,781, representing automobile fines; the county treasury received \$21.14 dog fines; the city and town treasuries received \$36,250.25, representing liquor, assault and battery and other fines for like offenses.

To the clerk of the superior court there was paid \$2000, representing bail money in appeal and order cases; also \$200 for civil removal cases. Bail money paid back in district court in criminal cases amounted to \$26,508, while the sum of \$52.50 was paid back in tender cases. In small claims actions, \$2,156.67 was paid plaintiffs.

The itemized amounts paid to the city and towns in the district for the four quarters is as follows: First quarter—To city of Lowell, \$4,628.21; to town of Tewksbury, \$115.62; to town of Tyngsboro, \$10.

Second quarter—Lowell, \$2,212.62; Hildreth, \$411.59; Chelmsford, \$10; Dracut, \$65.21.

Third quarter—Lowell, \$3,987.33; Hildreth, \$1,131.41; Chelmsford, \$35.11; Dracut, \$29.76; Tewksbury, \$20.91; Tyngsboro, \$29.61.

Fourth quarter—Lowell, \$5,604.36; Hildreth, \$45.11; Dracut, \$11; Chelmsford, \$26.22; Tyngsboro, \$20.

BUSINESS HATS

Many of the most snappy hats have no brim at all, but a low or some form of one side to relieve the absolute severity.

ASSOCIATE---TONIGHT

BATTLE OF MUSIC



Herlihy's Orchestra of Portland, Me.,
vs. Miner-Doyle's Orchestra of Lowell

LATEST DANCE MUSIC—ADMISSION 55c

SPECIAL ATTRACTION—Mr. Arthur Huskins of Leo Feist Co. will sing "Mamma Loves Papa" and "Every Night I Cry Myself to Sleep Over You"

"JOE" HIBBARD

THE DEAN OF OLD TIME DANCES

Will Open an Old-Time Dancing School, Commencing TONIGHT
And Every Thursday Night Through the Season at ELKS HALL—43 MIDDLE ST.

These are some of the dances that will be taken up: Plain Quadrille, Schottische, Waltz Lancers, the Waltz, Five-Step, Schottische, Newport, Waltz Galop, Waltz Oxford, the Duchess, Two-Step, etc.

ADMISSION..... 35 Cents

DANCE TONIGHT

Bay State Dancing School

Featuring Leo Dufy's Orchestra, Playing the Latest New York Dancing Music.
Ladies 40c — Checking Free — Gentlemen 50c

Basketball Game and Dance

Thursday Night—St. Anne's Parish Hall—8.00
ST. ANNE'S A. C. vs. LAWRENCE A. A.
Ted Marshall's Orchestra — Admission 35 Cents

TONIGHT Cabaret and Dance

BY THE COLONIAL BOYS
Featuring Morham's Blackstone Orchestra of Atlantic City.
PAWTUCKET BOATHOUSE — ADMISSION 35c

law information would be forthcoming any time the sheriff gave honest proof that he wanted it."

They added that General Black made no promise to withdraw the troops nor gave them any information of what action he would take.

**HORSEMEN ASK MAYOR
FOR RACE PERMIT**

All horsemen without any other permission, however, are prepared to start a series of races upon each corner of Washington street next Saturday afternoon.

A debate between backing, and generally the purpose of race meet, drew Mr. Mayor to this today sent a permit to Mr. Mayor John J. Donovan, asking the permission to allow a series of races on the horse owners and it is expected to hold a series of races on the Madison street thoroughfare between the Franklin Schoolhouse and Walker street next Saturday afternoon.

The mayor is reported to be favorable to the proposition if plenty of proper permits can be provided. The "Trot" has a dozen horsemen, but they fear that all anxious to race out the Madison street course.

Savings Account against a rainy day goes a long way toward happiness and contentment.

Interest in Savings Department begins the first day of each month.

**Old Lowell
National Bank**
Oldest Bank in Lowell

NOTICE

The Choral Club of the Catholic Women's League will meet at 2 O'Clock, Sunday Afternoon, Eagles Hall. All members are requested to attend.

Every Man's Bathrobe

In the Store at Exactly

One Half Price

All New Fresh Merchandise

Friday and Saturday Only
Men's Shop—Street Floor*The Bon Marche*
DRY GOODS CO.**Every Man's Sweater**

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—OUR GREATEST—

ANNUAL JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

IS NOW IN FULL SWING

**No Mail
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In this, our GREATEST JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE, we offer you over three-quarters of a million dollars' worth of FIRST QUALITY MERCHANDISE, at prices that must prove attractive to you.

New items have been added to replace stock depleted by the heavy selling of the first three days of this great sale. You know the kind of sales we conduct, and the kind of service we give. You know that every article purchased in our store carries our broad guarantee, no matter how low the price. Come early.

**All
Merchandise
First Quality****Charmeen and Twill Dresses**

The Greatest Values We Ever Offered on High Grade Dresses

VERY NEWEST AND SMARTEST STYLES

\$14.75 \$19.50 \$25.00 \$35.00 to \$49.50All Fine Tailored Dresses, in Navy, Rosewood, Brown
Were \$25 to \$85**All****Mah
Jongg
Sets****One Third Off**

Stationery—Street Floor

Fur Trimmed CoatsBETTER QUALITY BETTER STYLE BETTER VALUES
The Best Coats in Lowell at the Lowest Prices
(Quality considered)**\$39.50****\$47.50****\$69.50****\$85.00****\$98.50****\$110.00**Fashiona
Velvrette
OrmandaleMarvella
Gerona
LustrosaBeaver
Fox
LynxWolf
Squirrel
Kolinsky Squirrel

Save \$20 to \$60 on a Coat

Blouses\$1.98, \$1.49, 98c
Blouses**69c**

Second Floor

\$9.98, \$12.98, \$14.98
Overblouses**\$6.98****Great Undermuslin
Values**Now is the time to buy a supply of
Undermuslins at greatly reduced prices.

GOWNS CHEMISE BLOOMERS SLIPS

Flapper Dresses

WOOL JERSEY

Sizes 10 to 14 years

1-3 Off

Second Floor

HosieryA large supply of pure Silk Black Stockings and
Children's GOLF Hosiery at prices averaging**1-4 to 1-2 Off**

Regular Prices

Luggage Dept.

Basement

Vacuum Bottles, genuine "Universal"
pint size, brown enameled steel
case, aluminum shoulder and large
drinking cups; regular price \$2.
Sale price\$1.25"Universal" Lunch Kits, the
strongest kit made, furnished
with a special steel cased vacuum
Bottle, and slide model, each kit
well ventilated; regular price
\$3.50. Sale price.....\$2.25Traveling Bags, genuine cowhide,
full cut, some with leather lining,
brown and black; regular price
\$5 and \$6. Sale price,
\$3.25 and \$3.95Pig Skin Traveling Bags, hand
sewed English frames, extra full
cut fine bags to stand hard
usage, brown and black; regular
price \$10.98. Sale price, \$6.95**Woolen Goods**

Street Floor

Bolivia and Velmaria Coatings, 54
inches wide, extra heavy pile fab-
ric; regular prices \$8.98 and
\$8.25. Sale price\$6.98Genuine Forsman and Huffman Tar-
quina Coating, rich, lustrous fin-
ish, 56 inches wide, black only,
thoroughly sponged and shrunk;
regular price \$12.50. Sale price,
yard\$8.98Striped Prunella Skirtings, with lan-
guage silk stripes; \$3.98 and \$4.98
values. Sale price\$2.98**Drapery Dept.**

Third Floor

Cretonne, end of the piece, perfect
goods, lengths from 1 to about
10 yards; regular price 25c to
59c. Sale price, yd.....15cDrapery Poplin, mercerized in green,
tan, mulberry, lavender, 36-inches
wide, suitable for overdrapes, pil-
lows, couch covers, etc.; regularly
59c. Sale price35cSash Curtains, odd sizes; regularly
69c. Sale price35cElectric Floor Lamps, all our regu-
lar stock reduced 25% for this
sale.Hand Drawn Curtains of heavy
mercerized serim, one row hand
drawn; regular price \$1.98. Sale
price\$1.49
Two rows hand drawn; regular
price \$2.25. Sale price....\$1.69
Three rows hand drawn; regu-
lar price \$2.49. Sale price \$1.89Voile Curtains; regular prices \$1.19
and \$1.75. Sale price....89c
Regular \$1.98 curtains. Sale
price\$1.39
Regular \$2.49 and \$3 curtains.
Sale price\$1.49
Regular \$5 and \$5.50 curtains.
Sale price\$2.98**The Gift Shop**

Third Floor

Picture Framing, one-half regular
price on all framing ordered and
paid for during this sale.Many Items in Glassware, Pottery,
Lamps, Book-ends, etc.
At Half Price**Handkerchiefs**

Street Floor

Women's All Linen Handkerchiefs,
regular price 50c. Sale price, 25cMen's All Linen Handkerchiefs, regu-
lar price 75c. Sale price, 45c**Housewares
Dept.**

Basement

White Enameled Water Pails, 10
qt. size; regular price \$1.35. Sale
price89cAluminum Percolators and Tea
PotsHalf-PriceCoat Hangers, white enameled; regu-
lar price 10c. Sale price,
4 for 25cHome Comfort Bread and Cake
Boxes, white enameled finish; reg.
price \$3.25. Sale price....\$2.75Regular price \$4.25. Sale
price\$3.75**Toilet Goods**

Street Floor

Ivory Pyralin Mirrors; regular
price \$1.98. Sale price....\$1.49Ivory Pyralin Powder Box (a dis-
continued number); regular price
\$1.19. Sale price79cInfant Set, Ivory Pyralin comb,
brush, soap box; regular price
\$2.00. Sale price\$1.49Ivory Pyralin Comb, Brush and
Powder Box (infant set); regular
price \$2.00. Sale price98cAssortment of Discontinued Hair
Nets, single mesh; regular price
2 for 25c. Sale price, dozen 45cProphyllactic Tooth Brushes; 39c
for25c**Silk Dept.**

Street Floor

Roshanara Crepe, a fine firm weave,
in grey, navy, seal, brown, tan,
beige and black; regular price,
\$1.75 yard. Sale price....\$2.75Fancy Skirtings, various materials,
also a few short lengths for
blouses; regular price \$3.19 and
\$2.98. Sale price\$1.50Satin Messaline, in all shades,
regular price \$1.98. Sale
price\$1.69**Ribbon Dept.**

Street Floor

Brocade and Satin Remnants, plain
and fancy; regular prices 39c to
to 59c. Sale price, yard.....10cOdd Lengths in Fancy and Plain
Ribbons, may be used for fancy
work; regular prices 69c to 89c
yard. Sale price, yard.....25cMetallic and Brocade Ribbons, for
millinery, bags, vestes, sashes,
etc.; regular prices \$1.69 to \$2.00
yard. Sale price, yard.....\$1.00Bone Bag Taps, in novelty styles;
regular price \$1.00, each.....50cNarrow Ribbon, for rosettes, blanket
binding, etc.; regular price 10c to
69c. Sale price5c**Silverware**

Third Floor

Silver Baskets, several sizes and
shapes; regular price \$5.98. Sale
price\$3.75

Community Par Plate

At Half Regular Price

Poinsettia Sherbets; regular price
\$1.75. Sale price, set of 6, \$1.25Salt and Peppers; regular price 69c,
Sale price38c**Toy Dept.**

Basement

Games and BooksHalf price
Children's Aluminum Cooking Sets;
regular price \$1.69 and \$1.10.

One-Half Price

Children's Snow Shovels; regular
price 29c. Sale price.....15cJazzbo Jim; regular price 19c. Sale
price25c**Trimmings**Metal Lace Flouncing; regular price
\$4.98 yard. Sale price....\$1.98Cluny Laces; regular price 10c to
29c. Sale price, yd.....5c**Jewelry**

Street Floor

Cuff Links, 10kt. solid gold links,
green and white gold, engine
turned patterns; regular price
\$4.00. Sale price\$2.95Wrist Watches; 7 jeweled white
gold filled case, octagon and lon-
gum shape, black and grey ribbon
bracelet; regular price \$10. Sale
price\$7.98Rings, solid gold rings for children,
imitation emeralds, sapphires and
amethysts, green or yellow finish;
regular price \$2. Sale price, \$1.49**Gloves**

Street Floor

Women's Short Wool Gloves, white
only; regular price 89c. Sale
price50cChamois Gloves for children, grey
only, regular price 89c. Sale
price50cChildren's Gloves, lined kid, in
brown; regular price \$2. Sale
price\$1.25**Linens**

Street Floor

Bath Mats, large size, all colors;
regular price \$2.79. Sale price,
.....\$2.29Soiled Lace Centres, all sizes,
Half Regular PriceJapanese Crepe, colored checks, ten
colors; regular price 29c. Sale
price12½c**China Dept.**

Third Floor

Metal Lamps, with glass shades,
One-Half PriceClassic Minerva English Dinner
Sets (1-3 off open stock) 112
pc. set; regular price \$61. Sale
price\$40Fancy China, large assortment of
cheese and cracker, chocolate
sets, lion lion dishes, tea sets, etc.
At Half Price**Domestics**Bleached Sheets, seamless, soft
finish, 81x90; regular price \$1.50.
Sale price\$1.3972x90 regular price \$1.49. Sale
price\$1.29Fruit of the Loom Pillow Cases,
factory ticket on every case, size
42x36; regular price 39c. Sale
price29cOuting Flannel, 36-inch colored
striped and checked, good weight,
full bolt pieces, perfect goods;
regular price 29c. Sale price 19c**Shoe Dept.**

Street Floor

Women's Queen Quality Boots, brown
lace, broken sizes left from many
different lines; regular prices \$6.00
to \$9.00. Sale price.....\$2.98Women's Queen Quality Suede
Pumps, black, tan, autumn
brown, suede, black vici kid; regu-
lar price \$8. Sale price....\$5.95Men's Regal Shoes, brown and black
lace and oxford on English toe
lasts; regular price \$6.00. Sale
price\$2.98Girls' Jersey Leggings, black jersey
with fleece lining, sizes for large
or small girls; regular prices \$1.00
to \$1.39. Sale price, pair....49c**Infants' Dept.**

Third Floor

Infants' White Knitted All Wool
Leggings, regular price 79c. Sale
price39cInfants' All Wool Bonnets and Hel-
mets, all sizes, some are trimmed
in contrasting colors; regular
prices \$1.49 and \$1.98. Sale
price79cInfants' Heavy Flannelette Gowns,
with draw-string at bottom; regu-
lar price 79c. Sale price....49cInfants' Flannelette Kimonos, regu-
lar price 59c. Sale price....39c**Knit
Underwear**

Street Floor

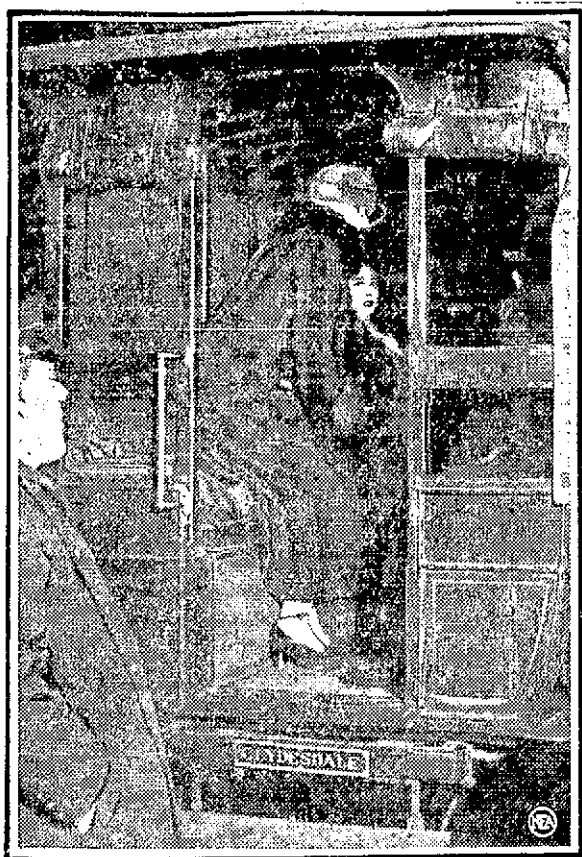
Misses' Wool Vests and Pants, \$1.00
and \$1.25 values. Sale price, 55c

Several Other Wonderful Values in

Women's and Children's

Knit Underwear

ALL THROUGH THE NIGHT



Police of Philadelphia, having been given an ultimatum by the new Safety Director, Brig. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, started to "clean up" the city. Patrol wagons were kept busy rounding up undesirable. Photo taken at midnight of the first day of the campaign shows several women being arrested.

"Got to Get Rid of Some Bums" Commander

houses, early today, they had confiscated and smashed enough gambling paraphernalia and still to fill two dozen patrol wagons. In only a few instances were the gamblers, forced to use their axes to enter entrance, but when necessary they wielded them vigorously.

Gen. Butler joined one of the raiding parties late in the night for a brief period and then made the rounds of the various police stations. Finding that his orders had not been strictly obeyed at several of the stations, he ordered every available policeman on the street all night and blundered the first hour" arrived at 3:30 o'clock, this afternoon, unless they had cleaned up their district.

Gen. Butler said that more than 75 percent of the clean up had been completed and he felt sure that it would be nearly 100 percent at the expiration of his time limit. He was congratulated on his accomplishments by Mayor Kendrick, who said that, thus far, politicians had not placed any obstacles in his path.

Director Pleased

General Butler was on the job until after 2 o'clock this morning. Generally speaking, he said he was highly pleased with the work of the policemen.

"When the 48-hour period I gave the department to clean up expires," he said, "we will take account of stock and the men who have not gone into this thing heart and soul will hear from me. I've started out to make every clean, honest, on-the-level po-

liceman my friend; to have him as keen for the honor of the force as the marines are for the corps with which I have served many years. There is a force in that sort of thing that the biggest organized vice situation in the world cannot defeat."

"Hail, Hail, Hail!" So far as known, only one place closed by the raiders has openly defied the police. This is the Venetian Cafe, one of the largest saloons in the central part of the city, and one of those visited by Governor Pinchot during his personal investigation of liquor violations several months ago. The raiders swooped down on the cafe yesterday afternoon, arrested the proprietor and several bartenders, and seized a large quantity of what they believed was illegal beer. Later the men arrested were released on copies of the charge signed by "mad, mad, mad" they hurried back to the saloon and resumed operations as soon as their supply of wet goods could be replenished. The proprietor said he was selling only new beer.

When Butler heard the cafe had reopened, he ordered the police of the central station to "raid, raid, raid" until the proprietor of the Venetian becomes tired of being arrested, having his beer taken from him and closed down. The wearing down process would be launched today, the general said.

Despite the efforts of police, reports today showed that three hold-ups and 33 robberies were committed in the city yesterday, netting the thieves a total of \$5000.

While Gen. Butler was at a downtown district station late last night, six masked bandits attempted to rob a government warehouse three blocks away.

SEVERE STORMS ARE SWEEPING EUROPE

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Unusually severe storms, accompanied by intense cold and heavy snow, are sweeping Europe this winter. Off the coasts of Spain and France, the disturbances have proved a serious menace to shipping, while in the North sea and in the Scandinavian waters, the sea floor is so heavy that navigation in many places is difficult.

Not in many years have there been so many casualties from avalanches in the Swiss and French Alps. Heavy rains in the lower passes and foothills of the mountains have contributed largely to the Marine and Seine floods in France.

England also is suffering, a rough in a lesser degree. The cold in this country is severe and there is much snow, especially in the midlands and in the north. The fall in southern England has not been great, but nevertheless, the seasonal newspapers have proclaimed many of the storms as blizzards.

Wind, snow and rain over all of western Europe, have seriously delayed telegraph communications. Until 6 o'clock this morning, no patches had reached England from Spain in more than 24 hours.

BUYING CROWD AT ASSIGNEES' SALE

The assignees' sale of the estate of Zena Clark Craig, Inc., in Merrimack street, opened at 10 o'clock this morning, attracting a large number of representatives from leading Lowell department stores, and a crowd of curious women shoppers who inspected and bought at bargain prices, the stock and fixtures, consisting of women's wearing apparel, shoes, suits, dresses, jewelry, millinery, china, glass, and other household goods, display forms, etc.

The assignees were William M. Silverman of Boston and Melvin G. Rogers of this city. Chester A. Bailey of Boston was the auctioneer.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was given in honor of Mr. Henry Russell, last evening, Jan. 5, at 433 Essex street, on the occasion of his 55th anniversary. A large gathering of friends and relatives were present. Mr. Russell was presented a purse containing \$500 in gold, the presentation address being made by Miss Marie Wright and the gift presented by his son, Clarence Russell. A fine musical program was given during the evening, and refreshments were served. The guests departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. Russell and his family every happiness, and complimenting Mrs. Russell on her success in managing the affair.

EXCEPTIONAL

A full pound bottle of Effervescent Soda Phosphate \$1.00.

Pleasant and effective as a liver stimulant and remedy for constipation.

HOWARD

Apothecary
200 CENTRAL ST.
Cor. Hurd

FUNERAL NOTICES

DOUGHERTY—Died January 8, Frank J. Dougherty will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock, from 14 Highland street. Funeral high mass at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's church at 1200 North Main street. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers M. H. McElroy and Son.

LYNDE—Died Jan. 9th, at the Lowell City Hospital, Mrs. Mary A. Lynde, aged 48 years, 2 months and 21 days. Funeral services will be held at the funeral home, 235 Bedford street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice, burial to take place at Mt. Auburn, Mass. The funeral arrangements are in charge of the undertaker, George W. Healey.

MCCORMACK—In the 80th year of his age, James McCormack, died at his home, 172 Essex street, on Saturday, Jan. 5, at 10 o'clock. Burial at St. Patrick's church, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Undertaker, Peter H. Sullivan.

MURPHY—The funeral of Mrs. Anne O. Murphy will take place tomorrow morning from the home of her brother, J. J. Desjardins, 277 White street, at 10 o'clock. High mass at 10 o'clock. Burial at St. Patrick's church at 12 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Undertakers, Archambault & Desjardins.

REID—In the 80th year of his age, John Reid, died at his home, 122 Essex street, on Saturday, Jan. 5, at 10 o'clock. Burial at St. Patrick's church, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Undertaker, William H. Saunders.

ANDERSON—In the 80th year of his age, John Anderson, died at his home, 122 Essex street, on Saturday, Jan. 5, at 10 o'clock. Burial at St. Patrick's church, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Undertaker, William H. Saunders.

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Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION



SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Carlson, N. J., vigorously protests against a proposed bill by Brig. Gen. Butler, who is the director of public safety, advising gamblers to go to Chicago, if they must live.

House republican leaders are expected to leave it unlikely to enact bills till this session of congress.

Michigan motion picture owners are added to the list of those who have at least temporarily barred Mabel Normand's appearance in pictures.

Wall Street estimate fixes the value of Ford Motor Co. stock at \$510,000,000.

Two women and three children are believed to have been killed in a fire at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dr. P. W. McNair, president of the Michigan college of nurses, was knocked unconscious by a former instructor. It is reported in police court at Houston, Mich.

Woodrow Wilson declines to comment on the book peace plan, Washington dispatch to the New York Times says.

Six houses, including Eva Gay and one of her sisters, are believed to have been killed in a fire at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mary Milburn Rogers, granddaughter of the late H. H. Rogers, was married on Tuesday to Count Louis de Salm-Salm, a German nobleman, in a ceremony at the Hotel de Ville, Paris.

New York Tribune declares that William J. Sidis, a boy brain wonder of 1901, is now a more cog in the machinery of the world, earning \$25-a-week as a statistical clerk and preferring a job that demands no thinking.

Cherry & Webb Co

The Economy Basement Shop Enters These Sure Winners for the January Clearance Competition—



SERGE POIRET TWILL WOOL JERSEY AND SILK DRESSES

Fortunate Special Purchase of Dresses that sold up to \$12.75 at 10c a yard start now offered at \$1.00 for Quick Action.

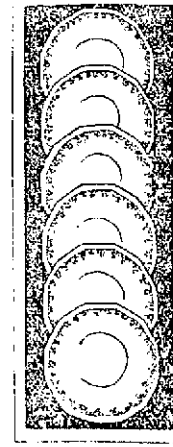
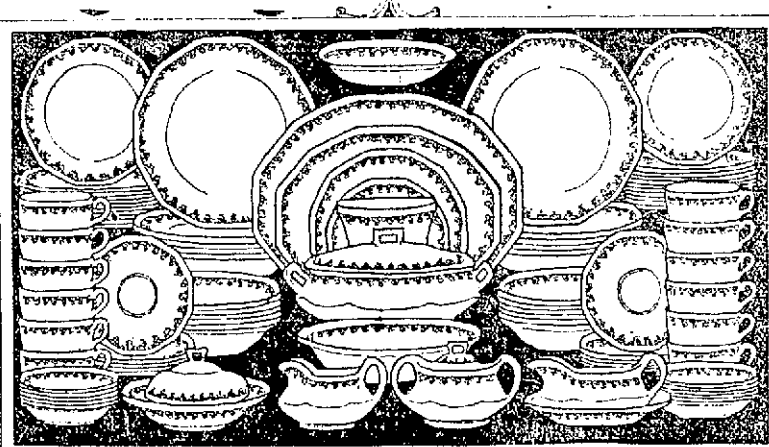
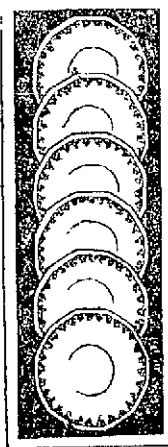
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GARFIELD'S FURNITURE

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SENSATIONAL FRIDAY BARGAIN

68 Sets Of Dishes At a Clean-Up Price

GARFIELD'S PRICE
Other Dinner Sets, 100 Pieces
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\$3.95
31 PIECES

GARFIELD'S PRICE
Other Dinner Sets, 100 Pieces
\$21.95

SEE SAMPLES IN OUR FRONT WINDOW

LOWELL

Central at Middle

LOWELL

DRACUT FIRE COMPANY ELECTS OFFICERS

Dracut Fire company has elected officers for this year's duties with the exception of the berth of secretary, which position will be filled by Robert Mott in place of Fred Swindells. The latter has moved to Manchester, N. H.

The annual firemen's supper will be held as usual on the night of Washington's birthday. Capt. Huntley will be in charge, assisted by Leo Roth, Joseph Kearney and John Ford.

ROOSEVELT CLUB

The Roosevelt club will celebrate its fifth birthday, Tuesday, January 23, by giving a republican club dinner at the American House, Boston at 7 p. m. open to men and women, members and non-members. Reception at 6:30 p. m.

LOWELL MINISTERIAL UNION MEETING

The present-day business was described to the Lowell Ministerial union in the Y.M.C.A. yesterday afternoon by Dr. L. O. Hartman, editor of the Zion Herald. Dr. Hartman recently returned from that country where he attended a church conference.

Rev. J. F. Speer presided at the meeting. Luncheon was served by a group from the Women's auxiliary, Y.M.C.A., comprising Mrs. T. E. Wilcox, Mrs. E. B. Hanks, Mrs. L. H. Hartley, Mrs. Branson and Miss Kate Horna.

Hon. Robert M. Washburn will preside. Speakers: Mrs. Charles P. Curtis, Jr., vice president of the Women's Republican club, Mrs. James G. Willingham, chairman of the women's division, republican state committee; Mr. Charles S. Proctor, president of the Middlesex club and Mr. George A. Rich, president of the republican club of Massachusetts.

EXCELLENT PROGRAM BY MALE QUARTET

The Lowell Teachers' Organization was treated to a program of rare musical quality yesterday afternoon in Liberty hall by the Knickerbocker male quartet of Boston. The quartet is composed of Norman Arnold, first tenor; Ralph Harlow, second tenor; Walter Kibler, baritone; Alex Steele, bass, and Bob Nichols, accompanist.

In addition to their regular program they sang, "Giddy Lou", "Way Down East", "Tuna", "Garry" a number written by Harlow who is a member of the quartet, "Take Maria", and "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep".

The program was as follows:
Redoubt Love Song Foote
Tenor solo, Dream Song from "Manon" Massenet
Baritone solo, On the Road to Mandalay Spenser
Viking Song Coleridge Taylor
Tenor solo, The Trumpeter Dix
Duet for tenor and baritone, Hunting Song, "King Arthur" Bullard
Burlaque Ensemble
Bass solo, A Sergeant of the Line Kipling
Three O'Clock in the Morning, Adapted by Symonds.

TO PAY MEXICAN OIL TAX

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Expiration today of the time limit for payment by American oil companies in Mexico of the Mexican oil production taxes was expected to bring from the American companies statements as to whether they have decided to pay the taxes to the Obregon government, or to Adolfo de la Huerta, revolutionist leader, who has claimed the money and has asserted his forces controlled a large portion of the north-eastern oil fields of Mexico.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Played by Rep. Corbett at E. Chelmsford Improvement Association Meeting

Representative Thomas J. Corbett, addressing the members of East Chelmsford Improvement association Tuesday night, charged that the Middlesex county commissioners are becoming "masters of the people" instead of servants. He declared that the taxpayers of this vicinity are paying a burdensome share of the immense improvements being made in other sections of the county, and referred to the favors shown Malden and Cambridge, which have received large appropriations of money for new constructions. The speaker charged that the attitude of the commissioners when appeals had been made to improve highways in this section of the county.

Representative Owen E. Brennan was invited to speak upon his proposed bill for the purifying of the waters of Concord river. The bill was read and Mr. Brennan ably presented the situation as it stands today. It is believed that the legislature will take action on the petition and order the investigation that is so earnestly desired.

LADIES' NIGHT AT SACRED HEART CLUB

Last night was "Ladies' Night" at the Sacred Heart Social club. The affair, attended by about 200 couples, was held in the school hall. The prize waltz was won by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Mahoney, who competed with William Hinckley and Madeline Burrows. The judges of the event were Thomas Sullivan, Frank Clark and Albert Chasse. The winners were presented a \$5 gold piece by the chairman of the committee, Arthur Conway.

The following were in charge: Arthur Conway, chairman, John Mahoney, Frank Finnegan, William McGuire and Joseph Ryan. The officers of the club for the present year are James Keenan, president; John Sheehan, vice president; Theodore Sheehan, recording secretary; Patrick Curry, financial secretary.

At the regular meeting of High-Land Union Lodge, Indus, Monday evening in Odd Fellows hall, Branch street, the following officers were installed by Mrs. Fannie J. Garstun and suite of Weburn:

Noble grand, Ada A. Foley; vice grand, Alice M. Hibbs; recording secretary, Coraella M. Canfield; financial secretary, Mary L. Jordan; treasurer, Elsie H. Sayball; warden, Francis G. Scott; conductor, Olive P. McKenzie; inside guardian, Susan Rogers; outside guardian, Lucy Anthony; R.S. to noble grand, Carrie A. Harvey, P.N. G.; L.S. to noble grand, Gertrude Houston; R.S. to vice grand, Bertha M. Busch, P.N.G.; L.S. to vice grand, Lena G. Farrell; chaplain, Marion E. Downs.

Following the installation a collar and jewel and a beautiful bouquet was presented East Grand Maude V. Ringer.

Merrimack Valley East Noble grand association will meet tomorrow afternoon in L.O.O.F. hall, Essex street, Lawrence.

A meeting of the Sons of Veterans auxiliary will be held tonight at 7:45 o'clock. Supper will be served at 6:30 and Daughters of Veterans and G.A.R. comrades are invited to attend.

The regular meeting of Lowell lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, was held last night in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. Probation Officer James P. Ramsay had been scheduled to address the meeting but was unable to because of illness.

At the business session several applications were received and members warned to have all candidates for the class initiation to be held January 20, ready by Saturday the 19th.

Following the business meeting an entertainment was given under the direction of Frank J. Lambert, lodge pianist. Among those taking part were Edward Court, Henry Charrel, Joseph Tesser, Joseph Barco, Archibald Tansley, Howard Ryan, George Mott, Arthur Hammond and the Emerson Four.

NOT THIS HERBERT
The Herbert Foster who was in district court recently on a charge of gambling, was not Herbert Foster of 23 Bridge street.

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MIDDLESEX CHAPTER ELECTS OFFICERS

Dr. Clarence B. Livingston was elected president of Old Middlesex chapter, S.A.R., at the annual meeting of the organization held Tuesday evening in Cole's Inn, featuring President Howard W. Foster presided at the business session. The new officers in addition to President Livingston are as follows: Vice-president, Charles E. Blaisdell; historian, Frank W. Hall; registrar, Warren W. Fox; treasurer, Ezra W. Johns; auditor, Frederick A. Bates; chaplain, Rev. Wilson Waters; secretary, William B. Wiggin.

President Burton H. Wiggin of the Massachusetts society, S.A.R., announced the appointment of Major Frederick A. Bates as special commissioner for the state society to secure new members. Mr. Wiggin also described the principles that actuated the organization members in their work which, he said, was increasing steadily with other similar organizations the country over.

Dr. Charles H. Bangs, past president of the state society, asked the members to foster the principles that actuated their forefathers in establishing the republic. Probation Officer James P. Ramsay gave a revealing talk covering phases of his work among unfortunate people.

WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the women's association of the First Congregational church was held yesterday afternoon in the ladies' parlor of the church. The meeting was under the auspices of the Home Mission society and following a short business meeting, Miss Alice M. Bell, general secretary of the social service league, spoke on the duties of the league and the excellent work accomplished by it locally. Following her address, a musical program consisting of piano and vocal selections was given. Tea was served later in the afternoon.

HOME ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION

Alfred E. Stearns, principal of Phillips-Anderson academy, is to speak Saturday morning in the Boston Public Library lecture hall, before the teachers' section of the New England Home Economics association. His topic will be "The Soul of Education." Miss Ella J. Spooner of Simmons college, will preside at the meeting.

The Lowell Memorial Auditorium has a seating capacity of 4000, imagine the Auditorium filled to capacity 20 times and you will get some idea of the number of people who read the Sun daily, and 9 per cent of the 80,000 readers of The Sun take no other Lowell newspaper.

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125 Pieces—Regular price 15c yard. **12½c**
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185 Pieces—36 inches wide—Regular price 15c
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Special — 5000 Yards
85 PERCENT. LINEN
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Bleached Crash Toweling, a good heavy quality in large remnants; 85 per cent linen. Regular price 19c.
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Special Prices to Close Out Merchandise
Before Stock-Taking
Thursday, Friday, Saturday

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- 1 lot Bandeaux with front hose supporters. To close 38c
- 1 lot \$1.00 White Silk Poplin Bandeaux. To close 69c
- 1 lot \$1.00 Lace Trimmed Bandeaux, sizes only, 36, 38, 40. To close 69c
- 1 lot \$2.00 and \$3.00 Odd Models Corselettes. To close \$1.50
- 1 lot \$1.50 and \$1.00 Bandeaux, mostly large sizes. To close 49c
- 1 lot \$1.00 and 75c Bandeaux and Brassieres. To close 25c
- 1 lot odd sizes Bandeaux and Brassieres. To close 2 for 25c
- 1 lot Misses' Odd Corselettes. To close. 25c, 69c, 89c

CORDUROY KIMONOS
Cherry, Blue, Heliotrope, Paisley.

- 1 Model \$4.95. Sale price to close \$3.98
- 1 Model \$7.50. Sale price to close \$4.98
- 1 Model \$8.95. Sale price to close \$6.00
- 1 Model \$9.98. Sale price to close \$7.98

BLACK PETTICOATS

- 1 Model, medium weight cotton, \$1.50. To close. 89c
- 1 Model, medium weight cotton, \$1.95. To close. \$1.25
- 1 Model, medium weight cotton, \$2.00. To close. 95c
- 1 Model, medium weight cotton, extra size, \$2.93. To close \$1.75
- 1 lot Colored Satin and Silk Jersey Petticoats; regular \$6.50. To close \$3.45
- 1 lot Colored Tricotee Petticoats. To close \$1.95

APRONS

- 1 lot 25c and 50c Tea Aprons, slightly mussed. To close 2 for 25c
- 1 lot 33c Tea Aprons, slightly mussed. To close 4 for \$1.00
- 1 lot Bonnet Caps, \$1.25 quality. To close 69c
- 1 lot Bonnet Caps, \$2.00 quality. To close 95c

HANDKERCHIEFS

- 1 lot Men's Initial. To close 6 for 50c
- 1 lot Men's Initial. To close 3 for 50c
- 1 lot Women's, embroidered corner. To close. 6 for 50c
- 1 lot Women's, fancy embroidered, 50c and 55c quality. To close 25c
- 1 lot Women's, fancy embroidered, 19c and 25c quality. To close 12½c
- 1 lot Plain Linen, hemstitched. To close 19c ea.

HOSE

- 1 lot Black Fleeced Hose. To close 35c
- 1 lot White Cashmere Hose. To close 19c
- 1 lot White Cashmere and natural color; 5c quality. To close 45c
- 1 lot Balbriggan. To close 25c
- 1 lot Wool Ribbed Heather; \$2 quality. To close. 95c
- 1 lot Silk, full fashioned, black, some colors. McCallum, Van Raffle Numaid; \$2 quality. To close \$1.50

CORSETS

- 1 lot sizes 19 and 20 only. These corsets sold from \$3.50 to \$6.00 a pair. To close \$1.95
- 1 lot, a few sizes, Elastic Girdles, regularly \$1.50 to \$2.50. To close 95c
- 1 lot of La Greco Corsets, high and medium busts; former prices from \$3.00 to \$8.50. All at greatly Reduced Prices To Close
- 1 lot Medium Bust; regular \$3.50. To close, \$2.50
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Gossard Corset Sale still going on; some sizes all gone, but many real bargains in various models and sizes.

WOMEN'S PAJAMAS

- 1 lot Outing Flannel, \$1.98 quality. To close, \$1.25
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- 1 lot Soisette, pink, blue, trimmed with silk frogs; \$3.00 quality. To close \$1.50
- 1 lot Cotton, pink, blue; \$1.98 quality. To close \$1.45
- 1 lot Cotton Batiste, band trimmed; \$2.50 quality. To close \$1.50
- 1 lot Cotton Crepe, pink, blue; \$3.25 quality. To close \$2.25

WOMEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR

- Vests and Pants, medium weight, all sizes; \$1.00 quality. To close 69c
- Vests, heavy-fleeced, round neck, no sleeve, all sizes; \$1.00 quality. To close 75c
- Union Suits, heavy fleeced, ankle, all sizes; \$2.00 quality. To close 95c
- Union Suits, Dutch neck, short sleeve, ankle, and round neck, no sleeve, ankle; \$1.75 quality. To close \$1.25
- Union Suits, medium weight, ankle, hand top and bodice; \$1.25 quality. To close 69c
- Union Suits, medium weight, band top and bodice, ankle and knee; \$2.25 quality. To close, \$1.25
- Union Suits, Carter's, light weight wool, ankle and knee; \$2.50 quality \$1.69
- Vests and Pants, wool, all sizes. To close \$1.45
- Vests, light weight wool, bodice and hand top, Dutch neck; \$2.00 quality. To close \$1.25
- Union Suits, flesh color, medium weight, round neck, ankle; \$1.75 quality. To close \$1.25
- A few sizes Fleeced Union Suits, \$1.00 quality. To close 50c

SILK AND MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

- 1 lot Plain and Lace Trimmed Envelope Chemises; regular \$1.00 and 89c quality, 59c, 2 for \$1.00
- 1 lot Extra Size Gowns. To close 85c
- 1 lot Muslin and Crepe Gowns, \$1.00 quality. To close 75c
- 1 lot White Hamburg Petticoats. To close 89c
- 1 lot White Hamburg Petticoats. To close, \$1.00
- 1 lot Silk Camisoles, \$3.50 quality. To close, \$1.95
- 1 lot Muslin Envelope Chemises. To close \$1.00
- 1 lot Muslin Gowns, \$2.19 quality. To close, \$1.45
- 1 lot Gowns, lace trimmed; \$3.98 quality. To close \$2.45
- 1 lot Crepe de Chine Envelopes, extra quality. To close \$2.45

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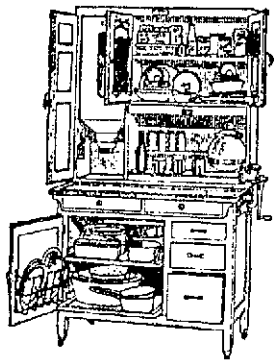
January Sale

**of Furniture
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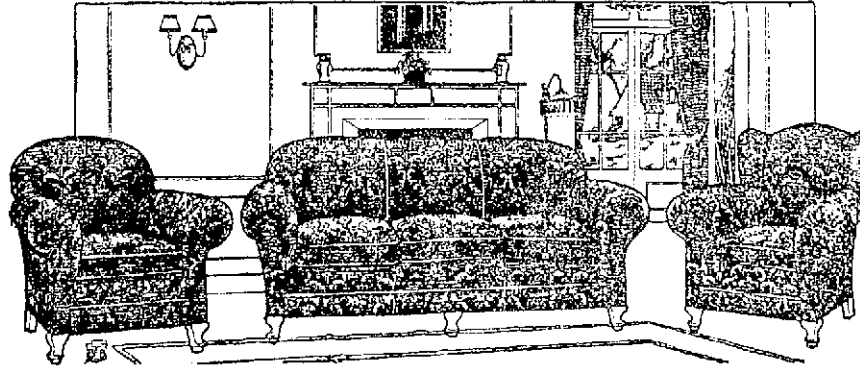
CASH

Starting Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock we are going to offer to the public of Lowell the greatest values in Furniture, Rugs, Bedding and Ranges that quality merchandise has ever been marked for many years. "Atherton" has become a household word in Lowell and the country 'round about, and when we advertise a "Markdown Sale" you get a genuine discount. In this sale every piece of furniture is reduced from 25% to 50%. Come early and buy while the stock is complete.

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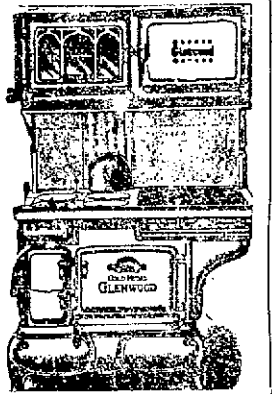
PARLOR SUITE SPECIALS

\$150.00 Value 3-Piece Mahogany Frame Case Suite, upholstered in rich brown velvet. January Price, **\$112.50**

\$295.00 Value 3-Piece Tapestry Suite, full spring construction and extra fine quality throughout. January Price **\$189.50**

\$550 Value 3-Piece Mulberry and Brown "Chase" Mohair Suite—This is a genuine bargain and is surely worth looking at. Sale, **\$395**

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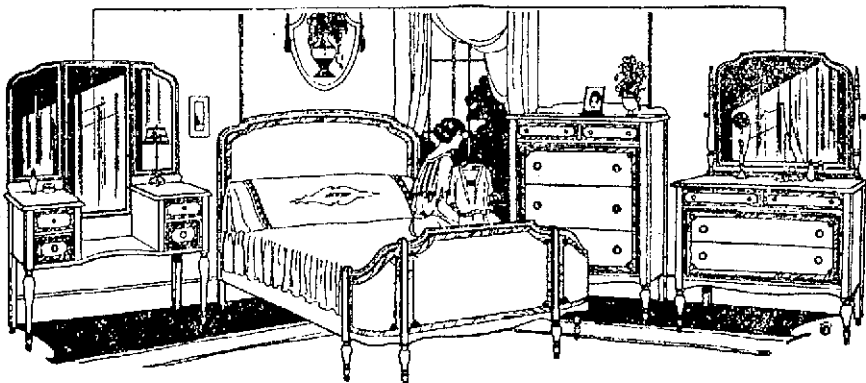


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\$295.00 Value 3-Piece American Walnut Suite, consists of full vanity, chiffonier and bow end bed. January Sale **\$125.00**

\$200.00 Value 4-Piece Quartered Oak Colonial Style Suite — Dresser, vanity, chiffonier and bed. January Sale **\$125.00**

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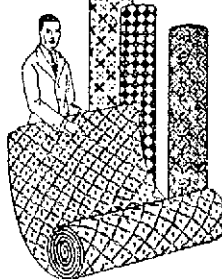


RUG SPECIALS

\$133.33 Value 9x12 Lyon Persian Rugs **\$99.99**
\$153.33 Value 9x12 Lyon Persian Rugs **\$115.00**
\$95.00 Value 9x12 Sanford's Cashmere Rugs, **\$71.25**
\$89.00 Value 9x12 Sanford's Beauvais Rugs, **\$66.75**
\$85.00 Value 8-3x10-6 Sanford's Cashmere Rugs **\$63.75**
\$45.00 Value 9x12 Tapestry Rugs **\$33.75**
\$40.00 Value 8-3x10-6 Tapestry Rugs **\$30.00**
\$12.00 Value 9x12 Grass Rugs **\$8.98**
\$10.50 Value 8-3x10-6 Bazaar Rugs **\$10.98**
\$35.00 Value 6x9 Sanford's Rugs **\$25.95**
\$8.00 Value 6x9 Wool Fibre Rugs **\$5.95**
\$10.50 Value 6x9 Bazaar Rugs **\$7.85**
\$2.75 Value Two-tone Green Heatherdown Stair Runner, yard **\$1.98**
\$2.25 Value Tapestry Stair Runner **\$1.69**
\$1.85 Value Tapestry Stair Runner **\$1.38**

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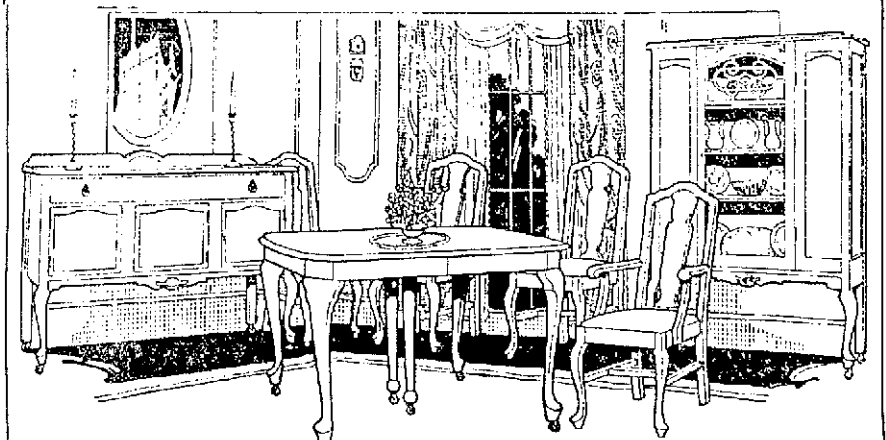
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FLOOR COVERING SPECIALS

9x12 Gold Seal Congoleum Art Rugs, no border, for **\$10.56**
9x12 Neponset Art Squares, \$18.84 value, **\$14.13**
9x10-6 Neponset Art Squares, \$16.50 value, **\$12.38**
8x9 Neponset Art Squares, \$14.65 value, **\$10.54**
7-6x9 Neponset Art Squares, \$11.55 value, **\$8.67**
6x9 Neponset Art Squares, \$9.27 value, **\$6.96**
\$1.25 Value Armstrong's Printed Linoleum, square yard **94c**
\$1.95 Value Inland Linoleum, square yard, **\$1.45**
\$2.10 Value Inland Linoleum, square yard, **\$1.79**
\$1.00 Value Inland Linoleum, square yard, **\$2.98**



DINING SUITE SPECIALS

\$210.00 Value 9-Piece Weathered Oak Suite, consists of buffet, oblong table, china, 5 chairs and arm chair. January Sale **\$157.25**

\$300.00 Value Mahogany 9-Piece Suite, consists of extra large buffet, oblong table, china, 5 chairs and arm chair. Sale, **\$225**

\$550.00 Value 10-piece Two-Tone American Walnut Suite, consists of buffet, oblong table, china closet, serving table, 5 chairs and arm chair. January Sale **\$367**

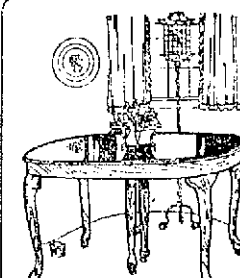
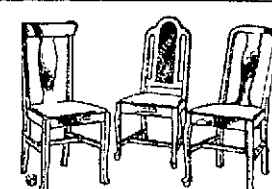


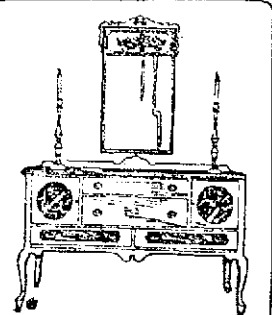
TABLE SPECIALS

\$50.00 Walnut Dining Table at **\$34.95**
\$75.00 Walnut Queen Ann Dining Table **\$49.50**
\$87.00 Oak Dining Table at **\$27.25**
\$25 Oak Dining Table at **\$14.25**



DINING CHAIRS

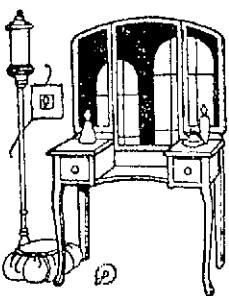
\$6.50 Oak Dining Chairs, leather seats **\$4.89**
\$11.50 Oak Arm Chairs, leather seats **\$8.49**
\$12.00 Walnut Arm Chairs, leather seats **\$8.98**
\$7.50 Walnut Dining Chairs at **\$5.65**



BUFFETS

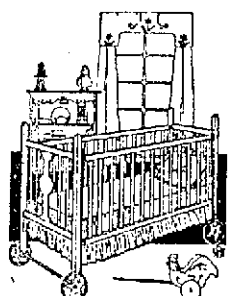
\$60.00 Oak Buffet, **\$39.49**
\$70.00 Oak Buffet, **\$44.49**
\$40.00 Oak Buffet, **\$29.95**
\$65.00 Oak Buffet, **\$48.75**

A-B-C ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINES—
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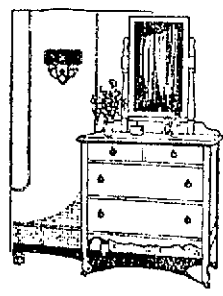
VANITY DRESSERS

Walnut Vanity (like cut) at **\$23.95**
\$60 Walnut Vanity **\$39.95**
\$130 Full Vanity Genuine Walnut **\$99.00**
\$84.00 Full Vanity Genuine Walnut **\$63.50**



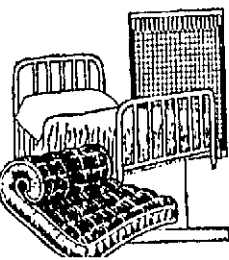
CRIBS

\$40.00 Kiddie Koo, **\$26.25**
\$18.00 White Wooden Crib at **\$13.50**
\$9.50 White Wooden Crib at **\$7.12**
\$13.00 Cream Enamel Bow End Crib, **\$24.75**



DRESSERS

\$30.00 Mahogany Finish Dresser **\$21.98**
\$43 Walnut Dresser, **\$31.98**
\$25 Oak Dresser, **\$17.95**
\$70.00 Bird's Eye Maple Dresser **\$51.95**



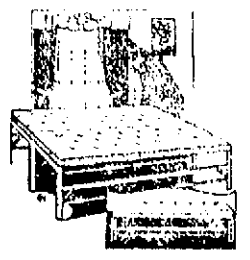
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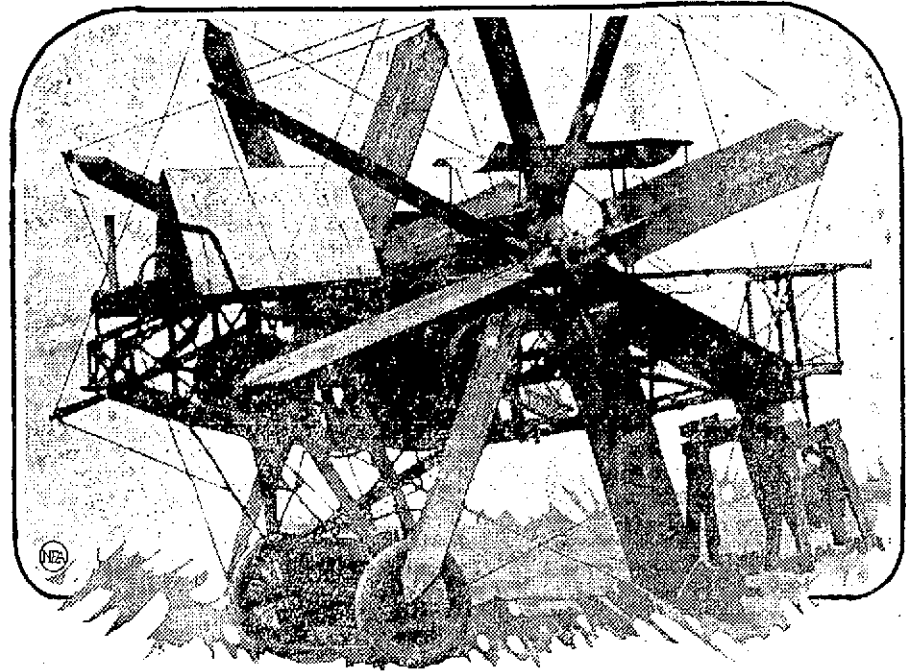
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FEUD Waning IN PHILIPPINES

MANILA, Jan. 9. (By the Associated Press) There are indications that the feud between the legislative and executive branches of the Philippine government is waning. Governor General Leonard Wood said in addressing the American Chamber of Commerce here today.

PRES. COOLIDGE APPROVES RESOLUTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—President Coolidge today gave final approval to the shipping board resolution placing operation of the government's merchant fleet in the hands of the emergency fleet corporation. He made his approval, however, contingent on the board's co-operation.

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CHANGES WILL FAVOR EX-SERVICE MEN

A favorable change for ex-service men has been announced by the civil service commission, in the regulations governing the reopening of the examinations which have been held and closed. The new regulations covering such examinations are as follows:

Until further notice, American citizens who served as soldiers, sailors, or marines in any of the allied military forces between August 1, 1914, and July 2, 1921, and those who so served in the American forces between April 6, 1917, and July 2, 1921, will be allowed to enter any examination for which there is an existing register, provided application is made during military service or not later than one year after their honorable discharge from the Army, or termination of their active service in the Navy or Marine Corps.

The names of all such persons who pass the examination will be entered upon the eligible list, but preference in appointment will be given to those only who submit evidence that they have been honorably discharged. A soldier, sailor, or marine who served between August 1, 1914, and July 2, 1921, and who by reason of confinement in a government hospital under treatment has been prevented from taking an examination for which there is an existing register may be admitted to such examination, provided he makes application within one year after discharge from the hospital.

If the preliminary requirements of the examination are met, disabled ex-service men who have undergone training by the U. S. Veterans' Bureau will be allowed to enter an examination for any government position for which they have been trained by the bureau, and for which there is an existing register, provided the application is accompanied by a certificate from the bureau showing that training will be completed within 90 days after the filing of the application, or the application, accompanied by a certificate from the bureau showing completion of training, is filed within one year after the completion of training.

VERY UNUSUAL

AUTO ACCIDENT

One pedestrian was knocked down, another narrowly escaped injury and an automobile was badly damaged in an unusual automobile accident caused, according to the driver of the machine, by blindness brought about by the glare of a second machine on Vermont avenue, at about 7:30 last night.

The driver of the damaged machine was Charles Sharp. In his report of the accident he states he was coming down Vermont avenue towards the city when, near the boulevard, another machine passed him outward bound. The lights from this machine partially blinded Mr. Sharp and, as he recovered his sight, he saw his machine was almost at the point of striking a man crossing the street. In order to avoid this he swung his car sharply to the right and crashed into a telegraph pole. Getting out of his machine he saw a woman on the ground who had evidently been struck by his machine, although he does not know what part struck her. Upon inquiry he ascertained that she was Mrs. Courtney of 23 School street and took her to her home in another machine. Dr. Gardner was called in and reported the woman was uninjured but was suffering from nervous shock.

WOMEN VOTERS

REGISTER IN DRACUT

The names of 50 women have been enrolled on Dracut voting lists since registration records were opened in Collinsville. Only 24 names of male new voters were recorded at the opening of the lists there. The size of the women's registration has created marked interest in other sections of the town.

With the nonword registration of last Saturday, Dracut now has 163 new voters added to last year's list. The next session of the registrars will be at the town office on Arlington street at the centre, Saturday afternoon, from 2 to 4, and the last session in town before the primaries will be held at the navy yard hose house, Tuesday, Jan. 15, from 7:30 to 9 p. m.

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MEETING OF COMMUNITY CHEST COMMITTEE

A meeting of the community chest committee of the chamber of commerce and the Rotary club and representatives of the Boy Scouts, Girls' City Club, Social Service League, Humana Society, Florence Crittenton League, Y. W. C. A., and the Lowell Guild will be held at 8 o'clock this evening in the rooms of the chamber of commerce in the Fairbank building.

David Armstrong, manager of the Worcester community chest drive, will be present at the meeting to explain the plan and to answer any questions which representatives of the various organizations may desire to ask before finally deciding whether to approve the proposition of having a community chest in this city.

EXAM FOR CADETS AND CADET ENGINEERS

The United States coast guard announces that a competitive examination for appointment of cadets and cadet engineers will be held on April 7 of this year. The examining board considers that an exceptional opportunity for young men of the right caliber to complete their education in the United States coast guard at government expense and to become commissioned officers in the guard, one of the maritime services of the country in which is offered service abroad and ashore, cadets and cadet engineers receive the same pay and allowances as midshipmen in the navy (\$750 per annum and one ration per day). The age limit for appointment of cadets of the line is 18 to 24 years, and for appointment of cadet engineers, 18 to 23 years. The training station is located in New London, Conn.

The examination for applicants in this district will be held at Boston. All candidates will be informed of their status as soon after the examination as practicable. For further information, write to the commandant, U. S. coast guard, Washington, D. C.

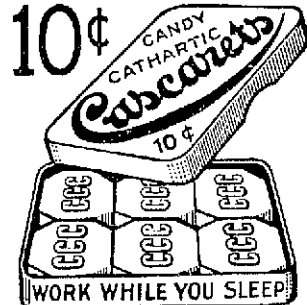
TO PREACH TRIDUUM AT ST. PATRICK'S

Rev. Fr. Bertrand, C.P., will preach a Triduum at St. Patrick's church opening this evening for the men of the parish. This three days' devotion is held in honor of the Holy Name. The preacher is from St. John's seminary in Brighton and is a well known pulpit orator.

WENT TO NEW BEDFORD
Relatives of David Lariyev, who died of gas asphyxiation at New Bedford yesterday, were located at 3 and 4 Dutton street, by the police, last night. They left for New Bedford this morning to take care of funeral arrangements.

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If Headachy, Bilious, Sick, Constipated

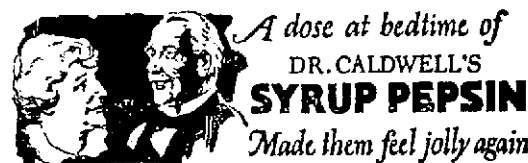


No killing or inconvenience follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cacalets." Sick Headache, Biliousness, Bares, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning. Most harmless laxative for Men, Women and Children. 10¢ boxes, also 25 and 50¢ sizes, any drug store.—Adv.

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Good Health In Happy Old Age

THE chief concern of elderly people is their health, and that is best assured by regular daily bowel movement. There is no truth, however, in the notion that because you are old you need a "strong physic." In fact, just because you are old a mild laxative is better for you. The trouble with purges and "charlies" and physics is that they shock the system and weaken it, not only the muscles of digestion itself. Dr. G. H. Brown, V. S., of Frederic, Wis., nearly wrecked his stomach with purgatives. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin restored his health, as it did Mrs. J. S. Etheridge's, of Milledgeville, Ga.

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You can be sure of satisfactory evacuations every day if you will take a spoonful of Syrup Pepsin at night when you retire. You will not need to take it very long as a few doses will soon encourage the bowels to act for themselves. The popularity of this wonderful family remedy has become so great that it is now the

largest selling liquid laxative in the world. Because of its mildness and freedom from gripping it is especially ideal for the extremes of ages, for children and for elderly people.

Effective at Small Cost

Get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at any drug store. The formula is on the package, and the cost less than a cent a dose. Take it when you feel heavy, sleep poorly, have headache or night cramps, for these are also symptoms of constipation. Give it to the children when they are restless, feverish or have a cold. Syrup Pepsin will keep you and the family free from constipation, a condition that lowers the vitality 25 per cent and raises the blood pressure 28 per cent. Freedom from constipation lessens the pain of kidney trouble, neuritis and rheumatism.

Send me a free trial bottle of Syrup Pepsin.

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Not more than one free trial bottle to a family

WILL FILE PARTY

BILL FOR LOWELL

Rep. Victor F. Jewett said today he has every reason to believe that one of the local legislative delegation will file a party line bill for Lowell before the expiration time on Saturday at 5 p. m.

"I understand such a bill is ready for filing," he said, "although I have not heard from it directly for the past two or three days."

Alkali In Soap Bad For the Hair

Such should be used very carefully. If you want to keep your hair looking its best. Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali. This dries the scalp makes the hair brittle and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulsified coconut oil shampoo, which is pure and greaseless, and is better than anything else you can use. Two or three teaspoonfuls is sufficient to cleanse your hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, shiny, wavy, and easy to manage.

You can get Mulsified coconut oil shampoo at any drug store. It is inexpensive and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.—Adv.

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\$9.85, \$12.75

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\$55 Plush Coats

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BUCK AND WING DANCE BY BOYS AND GIRLS

Did you ever see an ensemble of 150 girls and boys do a buck and wing dance? This is to be one of the many features of the K. of C. musical show, "Let's Go," in the Auditorium next Tuesday night, and according to Harry S. Orr, producer of the show, it will mark the first time a dance of this nature has been done by an entire ensemble. An individual buck and wing is in itself a novelty.

MAKES THE DEAF HEAR

Remarkable Invention Enables the Deaf to Hear All Sounds Clearly

Everyone who is troubled with deafness in any form will be interested in the announcement of the Phonograph Products Corporation, Suite 1117A, Plaza Building, Boston 11, Mass., that they have at last perfected a device which will enable everyone whose auditory nerve is not entirely destroyed to hear as perfectly as one whose hearing is normal. To test it thoroughly they sent it to a number of people who had been deaf for years and they report most gratifying results. Many state that they hear the slightest sound with perfect ease and that their natural hearing has been greatly improved. The manufacturers are so proud of their achievement and so confident that every deaf person will be amazed and delighted with it, that they offer to send it to anyone for prepaid parcel post on ten days' free trial. They do not ship C.O.D., nor do they require any deposit, but send it entirely at their own risk and expense, allowing the user ten full days to try it and decide whether they want to keep it or not. As there is no obligation whatever, everyone who is troubled with deafness in any form should take advantage of this liberal free trial offer. Just send them your name and address for descriptive literature and free trial request blank.

Inventory Sale

OUR ANNUAL HOUSE CLEANING SALE
Big Reductions in Holiday Goods, Overstocks and Slow Selling Merchandise
AN OPPORTUNITY TO GET REAL BARGAINS

HAIR CLIPPERS
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VALENTINE'S VALSPAR
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85c—Now 69c

PERFECTION OIL HEATERS
\$7.00—Now \$5.98

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5-gal., \$2.25—Now \$1.69
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MOP WRINGERS
\$2.75—Now \$1.98

STEEL WOOL
All grades. 10c pkg.—Now 7c pkg.

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Are You a Worn Out Working Man?

Many a man whose blood is thin and pale starts the day's work almost as tired or worn out as at the end of the day. You cannot have the strength to get through exhausting work day after day, unless your blood is rich enough to get the good out of your food. It is natural that makes rich, red blood. Without iron, your food merely passes through you, you do not get the good out of it.

Nutrated Iron contains iron like the iron in spinach, lentils and apples, and like the iron in your blood. You will be astonished at the results. Even in a few days' time, Nutrated Iron is a powerful strength and body builder. Try taking Nutrated Iron for two weeks and note the astonishing change in your general health, force and energy. May be had at all good drug stores.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



THE MAJOR BRINGS HOME A VALUABLE HOUND

BIRTH RATE GOES UP IN FRANCE

PARIS, Jan. 10.—While the frame goes down, the birthrate goes up, according to official statistics for the first three months of the year 1923. In the 50 departments there were 584,458 births in that period against 566,002 deaths, or an excess of 18,456 births.

U. S. M. CURTAILMENT
Vard crew payrolls of the Boston & Maine have been slightly reduced in local complement during the past few days, owing to slump in work requirements, due principally to business depression in various sections of New England. Two switchers have been allowed to go and Sunday work has been slightly curtailed. At the Littleton, carshops employees have been placed on a five-day working basis per week.

INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS

Lowell Electric Light Plant on Perry Street Has Modern Steel Chimney

Lowell's latest sign of industrial progress is the near completion of a monster chimney of modern steel construction, with many structural composition elements never before enlisted in similar Lowell industrial plant extensions. The new smoke stack of gigantic size now rises high over the new boiler room of the Lowell Electric Light corporation plant on Perry street and is attracting attention from residents of the neighborhood and many passersby. Yesterday the last enormous pair of ring plates in a series of similar steel "chairs" were drawn by cables up the outside of this tall pile of expertly-joined steel shells, and placed in required positions for bolting together.

When the new steel shaft is firmly "topped" by the structural workers, who have been perched for weeks past on narrow swinging platforms in the high and frigid temperature zone, they will come to earth and stay there for the present.

The feats of the small band of plate-adjusters, rigging men and bolt-hammers, who have been toiling nobly on this dangerous job of jobs, have been watched intently by city folk who wondered how the workmen could handle the mighty circles of thick steel so easily and call for more.

Electric light company officials are pleased with the success of the construction work and the activities of the sturdy structural workers who have never made a misstep on the Perry street job since the foundation was begun. The only thing needed now to wind up the contracting job will be the finishing of the outside from ladder that now stretches far up the outside of the steel chimney within a few yards of the topmost rim. It must be brought up and over this rim in order to be a real safety ladder.

After the outside work is done, but before it receives its coat of heavy fireproof paint, the steel chimney will be encased in the interior by the laying of a brick chimney within the steel structure, clear to the top. This brick "lining" is necessary to prolong the life of the whole structure, and protect the steel walls as long as possible. The building of the brick chimney wall in this manner is said to be the first attempt to increase the life of a box chimney anywhere in Lowell. The method adopted by the electric light company is being recommended only a short time ago by engineering experts.

Supr. Carl W. Brown this morning gave The Sun some interesting figures covering the construction work that has attracted so much attention in the Belvidere section of Lowell during the past few months. The chimney structure to shoot up higher, closer beside the two large brick chimneys of the electric light corporation on Perry street. As a matter of fact, it is nearer many yards away and is taller than the other two, although not so large around as one of the older chimneys.

constructed roof of the power service building where the new boilers are to be operated. Measuring from the boiler-room floor, however, the actual height would be 215 feet up into the air, where the structural experts were yesterday putting the last ring plates on from their high perch on platforms hung from rope supports with pulley adjustments.

The new chimney is believed to be the highest in the city at the present time. The flanged girder plates at the base are 15 feet, eight and one-half inches wide. From the lower "spread" of the plates at the base to make it more staunch the size diminishes until just over the foundation the superimposed chimney assumes a 12-foot diameter, which is maintained clear to the top of the monster smoke stack.

The new chimney is one of the "self-supporting kind," the "bell base" forming a splendid foundation, even though the foundation is not actually located on terra firma.

The interior of the steel stack will be lined with radial hollow brick from bottom to top. The big half plates or rings forming the chimney, piece by piece, were raised and placed in position by the husky steel workers without a hitch or an accident. In fact, raising the big heavy plates and adjusting them in the approved positions for the bolting operations, is

the easiest part of the job. Each plate has an 18-foot semi-circle measurement and is seven feet thick. A donkey engine handles the lifting of the steel requirements, and there's a large boom on the top which is constantly moved to meet requirements. Inside a ladder and several platforms reach to the top for workmen's use.

The smoke shaft is to have a ring placed on the top. A travelling ring is now in position to allow the steel workers with hammers and bolts to journey freely around the circle when bolting the sheets of steel together. The bolting of the entire structure will come last, the safety process to be used in fireproofing the metal stack.

AT ASSOCIATE HALL
The management of Associate hall announces a big battle of music for the Thursday evening social and tonight Herlihy's orchestra of Portland, Me., will oppose Miner Boyles' organization. The orchestra from Maine is considered one of the best organizations in the state and has played in all the leading cities and at the various summer resorts. Latest dance music will be featured. Mr. Arthur Huskins will score several of the hits at some hits during the evening. The evening's entertainment should prove to be one of the best this season.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DEBATING SOCIETY

The Knights of Columbus Debating Society will present its first debate before the members of Lowell council tonight, when P. Harold Bonds and Charles Olson will uphold the negative side of the question, "Resolved—That the adoption of a system of Old Age Pensions is against the affirmative." James V. Donoghue and Timothy Fuller, the judges will be Grand Knight Groves, Hugh J. Mooney and Edward J. Gallagher.

The question to be debated is one that was raised in the last session of the legislature of this state, and is being thoroughly investigated by a special commission appointed by the governor. Public hearings have been held throughout the state and the commission has found that the proposed legislation has stirred up a great deal of interest and feeling, both for and against the adoption of the law.

The men who are to discuss the question are well known in the council and are putting in intensive work on the preparation of the debate, and the debaters are that they will give the council an interesting discourse on the merits of the questions involved.

As this is the initial step in the formation of a debating society in this council, the committee is in hopes that its efforts will receive the support of the members of the order, and that they will come forward and take their part in future debates.

MADE DISTRICT MANAGER

The many friends in Lowell and North Chelmsford of Arthur J. Walsh, a former resident of North Chelmsford, will be pleased to hear that he has been appointed district manager of the Detroit office of the Pinkerton Detective company. Mr. Walsh, who is only 28 years of age, has been in the employ of the company six years, having started as agent in northern New England. Promotions came rapidly to him, and he is now in charge of all work in the Detroit district of the company.

Warn Against Doping Stomach With Artificial Digestants
Most people who suffer, either occasionally or chronically from gas, sourness and indigestion, have not discontinued disagreeable diets, patent foods and the use of harmful drugs, stomach tonics, medicines and artificial digestants and instead, following the advice so often given in these columns, take a teaspoonful or two of liquid Magnesia in a little water after meals with the result that their stomachs no longer trouble them. They are able to eat as they please and they enjoy much better health. These who use Bismarck Magnesia never dread the approach of meal time because they know the wonderful anti-acid and food corrective, which can be obtained from any good drug store, will instantly neutralize the stomach acidity, sweeten the stomach, prevent food fermentation and without the slightest pain or discomfort. Try this plan yourself, but be certain to get pure Bismarck Magnesia especially prepared for stomach use.—Adv.

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GAINED WEIGHT AND STRENGTH

Mrs. Howard Weighed Only Ninety-Eight Pounds and Almost Lost Hope But Is Well Now

"I suffered with asthma for over two years," says Mrs. Muriel Howard of No. 22 Portland street, Portland, Me. "At times I was in bed for a week or more and although I took a great deal of medicine nothing gave me permanent relief."

Walking up stairs would tire me out and make my heart palpitate so that it seemed as if it were jumping around. I was nervous and melancholy and had begun to think that I never would get strong again. My weight went down to 98 pounds and my back ached continually. I did not sleep well and just dragged around from day to day.

"Upon the advice of a friend I was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and soon found that they were giving me new life and ambition. I felt stronger and did not have that tired feeling. As I continued to take the pills I gained in weight. Now I weigh 135 pounds, the most I have ever weighed, and I feel good all the time. I never have the going in my back now. I need twelve boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I cannot say too much for them. If I ever need a blood builder again I shall certainly take them."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists direct from Dr. J. C. Williams, Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., on receipt of price, sixty cents per box. Send for the free booklet, "Building Up the Blood."—Adv.

When You Catch Cold Rub on Musterole

Musterole is easy to apply and it acts in its own right away. When it prevents a cold from coming into "flu" or pneumonia. Just apply Musterole with the fingers. It does all the cold work of grandmother's mustard plaster without the blister.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made of oil of mustard and other home remedies. It is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Try Musterole for sore throat, cold on the chest, rheumatism, lumbago, pleurisy, stiff neck, bronchitis, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pains and aches of the back and joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet—colds of all sorts.

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

35c and 65c jars and tubes; hospital size, \$2.00.

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WILL NOT BLISTER

Better than a mustard plaster.—Adv.

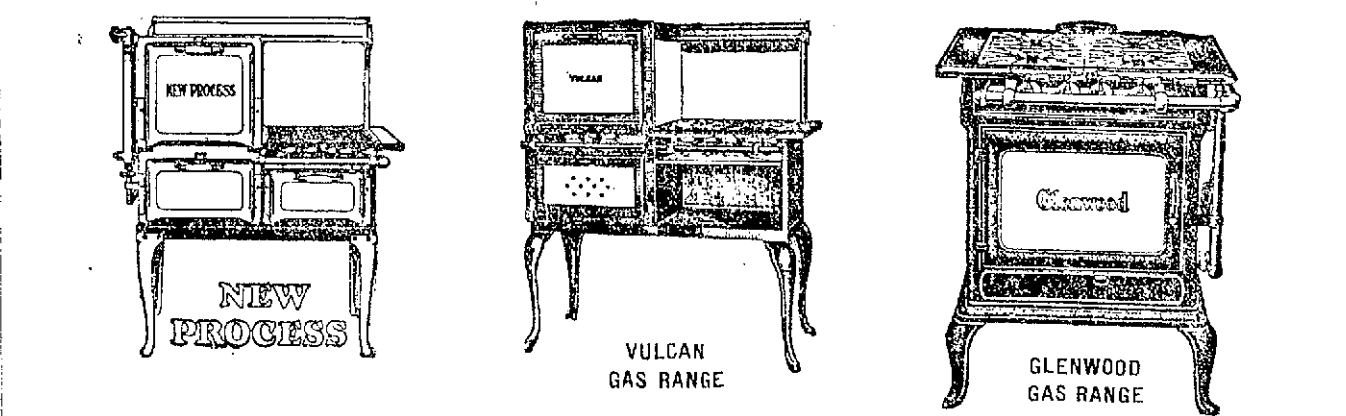
You Can Do It Better With Gas

We'll Give \$10 for That Old

Worn Out Range

Nearly fifty families have taken advantage of our liberal offer of \$10 for their old gas or coal range.

In Lowell, there are hundreds of people who are using old coal and gas ranges that are costly. These are the people whom we are aiming at in this sale.



Now is the Time to Make the Change
When you can get an allowance of \$10 in the purchase of new equipment.

This sale comes but once a year, and we would advise those who contemplate brightening up their kitchen to lessen the work of mother or the maid, to do so now.

On the purchase of a Cooker, a \$5.00 allowance will be made, providing the purchaser turns in an old gas or coal range.
Phone 340 and a salesman will call.

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SOUTHERN LEAGUE		SOUTHERN LEAGUE	
Team	W-L	Team	W-L
Atlanta Braves	89-54	110	298
Birmingham	106-46	110	298
Montreal Expos	101-51	101	288
Pittsburgh Pirates	76-73	84	264
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Radiographs

WOMAN MANAGES LARGE RADIO BROADCASTING STATION



MRS. ELEANOR POTHIER PREPARING A WLAF PROGRAM

By N.E.A. Service
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 10.—When it comes to a discussion of women who have ventured into men's lines and made good, consider Mrs. Eleanor Pothier of this city, perhaps the only woman in the United States who is managing director of a powerful radio station.

WLAF, the Twin Cities station, is known to millions of radio fans. Mrs. Pothier is the genius who has made it one of the best known stations in America.

Careless, Venezuela, Cayman, Honduras, and a ship 315 miles southeast of Honolulu have listened in on WLAF's concerts and every part of the United States, Canada and Mexico hears the concerts almost daily.

Mrs. Pothier is not only an executive but she knows the technical end of broadcasting and can sing a number or play a violin solo whenever it is necessary. In fact, her singing has become so popular with the radio fans that she has been unable to give it up, despite her other duties, and she takes her regular turn on the vocal programs.

Mrs. Pothier studied abroad for years and on returning to her home took up teaching. When it was proposed that a broadcasting station be put up here, Mrs. Pothier was selected to sell the idea to the business men. She succeeded in interesting 10 firms, who backed the enterprise, and she was engaged as program director because of her acquaintance with artists and

entertainers. Within a few weeks she was put in complete charge. Under her regime the station has been amplified until it is one of the most powerful in the United States.

Mrs. Pothier has been frequently complimented for the clearness with which she announces artists and reads bed-time stories to the kiddies.

"The control of my station in that line," she says, "is that I am a singer. Singers 'bite' their words. If you want to talk so you can be heard by a large audience and still not speak loudly or harshly, try 'biting' your words and watch the result."

Helps Weak Voices
"Radio is opening up an avenue to singers who could never have an audience," she goes on. "There are many sweet voices that are so small they couldn't possibly get over the footlights. We can have those singers do their stuff, before the microphone, by proper amplifying, make the songs go over as well as those of big-voiced artists. For broadcasting purposes, the small voice is just as good as the big one."

Mrs. Pothier spends all of her spare time listening to programs from other cities, getting pointers on the same.

One of WLAF's innovations is a recipe and household hints given by Miss Mildred Simons, assistant managing director, for Mrs. Pothier. Miss Simons is kept busy during the mid-day period, so that housewives may get the tips on meals while they are at luncheon.

RADIO BROADCASTS

WNAC, BOSTON.
1650 Kc., 275 Meters
4.00 p. m.—Shepard Colonial Orchestra, organ recital. From 10. Modern Love's Orpheum Theatre, The Day in France.
8.30 p. m.—Dance music from State ballroom, Land of Sweet Sixteen, Blue Rose, Step On It Sam, Moonlight Night, Drifting Back to Dreamland, Sunshine of Mine, Faded Love Letters, She's Got That Too.
9.05 p. m.—Overture, Lohengrin, State Theatre Orchestra.
9.40 p. m.—Concert by the choir of the First Church in Cambridge, Congregationalist, under the direction of William H. Burbank, organist and conductor.
11 p. m.—Songs by Miss Lillian Wilcox.
WGL, BIRMINGHAM.
833 Kc., 360 Meters
5.30 p. m.—Closing market reports.
6 p. m.—Meeting of the Elk Brother club.
6.30 p. m.—Boston police reports.
6.40 p. m.—Code practice.
7 p. m.—Evening program.
WJZ, NEW YORK.
605 Kc., 485 Meters
7.30 p. m.—David Yaroslavsky, operatic singer.
7.45 p. m.—The world's work.
8 p. m.—David Yaroslavsky, operatic singer.
8.15 p. m.—Special evening organ recital.
9 p. m.—Dinner of the Society of Automobile Engineers.
10.30 p. m.—Dance program by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.
WJY, NEW YORK.
740 Kc., 405 Meters
7.30 p. m.—Brooklyn Mark Strand theatre program.
WHZ, SPRINGFIELD.
830 Kc., 325 Meters
7 p. m.—Preparation of Federal Income Tax Returns, by Thomas McCurry.
7.30 p. m.—Twilight tales for the

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OUT OUR WAY



THE DECEPTION COMMITTEE

NORTHFIELD CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CLUB

A meeting of the Northfield Christian Endeavor club, including representatives from Christian Endeavor societies in Lowell and surrounding towns, was held last night in the Calvary Baptist church.

At the conclusion of a short business session the following officers were elected for 1924: President, Nathaniel Trull; vice president, Cecil Gardner; secretary, Muriel Amador; treasurer, Norman Olson.

A report of progress was made by the committee in charge of the club's annual play, "Getting Acquainted With Madge," and will be presented in Colonial hall on Feb. 7. Refreshments were served by the Misses Carrie Stewart, Irene Grimsot, Olive Grimsot, Helen Perron, Elsie Perron, Bernice Rayner and Clara Chapman. Games were played under the direction of Miss Frances Graves.

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MEETING OF RED TRIANGLE VILLAGE

Rev. George P. Sturtevant addressed the members of the Red Triangle Village at the weekly dinner and met together at the dormitory men at the Y.M.C.A. last night. His subject was "God Give Us Men." Archibald D. Grant, mayor of the village, presided at the session. A fine supper was served under direction of Mrs. Valentine Wilmet.

NAME MEMBERS FOR DEBATING TEAMS

Alpheus J. Achin and Amos Flemines of the class of 1924, and Miss Rosalie Greenbaum, 1927, were chosen yesterday as the members of the varsity debating team which will represent Lowell high school this year, at a competitive debate held in the school. Thurlo Macfarlane, 1925, was chosen as an alternate. This team will hold a debate with the faculty at a later date.

The team to debate with a team from St. John's Preparatory school on March 14 was also chosen, and will be composed of Merrill Calkins, Richard Welch and Morris Greenbaum, all of 1924, and alternate, Myer Solomon, 1925. The judges were Miss Macquire, Miss Masterson and M. A. Sturtevant.

DEFIANT OF CURSES
If any of those now exploring the inner tomb of King Tutankhamen should die of natural causes, it would be said that the death was due to the curse pronounced by the ancient Egyptian priests upon anyone who disturbed the bones of the deceased.

Another death following that of Lord Carnarvon would convince the superstitious that the curse is still operative. It seems, however, that Howard Carter, the American discoverer of the grave, is not at all afraid of the visitation of any such penalty and as for poor King Tut, his bones will be handled about, stripped of their precious trappings and possibly put on exhibition showing what a splendid type of mummy he is.

If any curse follows such desecration of royal graves, it should certainly fall upon the heads of the so-called explorers in this case. It was Shakespeare who wrote:

"Blest be the man who spares these stones
And curses be he who moves my bones."

The bones have not been disturbed, although this was probably out of respect for his request rather than fear of invoking the curse.

SEE THE POINT:
The Sun has by far the largest circulation of any Lowell paper. Ninety per cent of Sun readers do not read any other Lowell newspaper. See the point, Mr. Advertiser!

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. E. KEITH'S THEATRE

A show without a headliner, but unfortunately attractive throughout, is the one which is being given at the B. E. Keith Theatre, this week. The "Theatrical Song Recital" of Vivian Holt and Myrtle Leonard is without a doubt one of the best known of the kind in the city. It is a mixture of smart comedy and pretty dance. The recital act of the five players is decidedly humorous and it has marked comedy elements. Among other acts are those of Lucette Rhonda and Ruth Watson, singers, and of Max York and his dogs. The picture, one of the best yet put out of recent comedy, is "Going Up," with Douglas MacLean in the leading part.

HONEY BOY FOUR

The Honey Boy Four which may well be called a Lowell institution, will once again be seen on a local stage. Their act is booked for the Rialto Theatre for next Sunday only. The quartet, Ed (Tip) Handley, James H. Lyons, Joseph Harvey and J. P. Gleason, are well known local figures and will not doubt be the cause of capacity business at the Rialto. Other big vaudeville acts will be on the bill, as well as a feature picture.

HALLO TO THEATRE

"The Fog" a Metro picture with a real star cast and with a story that will appeal to all classes of theatre-goers, opened at the Rialto Theatre today. The big cast includes such players as Mildred Harris, Cullen Landis, Louise Fazenda, Ralph Lewis, David Butler, Anna May Wong, and J. P. Gleason. "The Fog" is a comedy with the lives of two people, a boy and a girl. Though many, many miles apart and having never seen each other, these two people meet through the fog and meet in triumphant love.

Nathan Feroe, a dreamer and a poet is enveloped in the fog of reality and harshness which threatens to crush his spirit and drive him mad. The fog, however, is nothing but a grimy grimace through the fog of scandalous tongues and whispered remarks that she is a girl without a name. One day the girl is rescued by one of Nathan's published poems and after a diligent search, traces him only to find that he is married to a girl who is not only unworthy of his love but also untrue to him. The girl returns home, heartbroken and disillusioned and broken-hearted. Nathan leaves his wife and he and Madeline go through the fog and meet in triumphant love.

The other picture on the program is "King of the Hill," a strong Western drama starring Leo Maloney.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
Packed till of punch, overflowing with breath-taking thrills, a superlative cast and a story that grips with lightning force, "The Eagle's Feather," a Metro production, is the feature attraction of the bill which opened at the Merrimack Square Theatre this afternoon. In outlining the rest of the program to those who have not yet seen it, it is a story of a girl who is sold into slavery by her father, who is a poor man, and who is later rescued by a prince who is a rich man.

Madame X NEXT WEEK
The Bill Andrews and Madeline Holt will have the star parts in "Madame X," a production to be presented all over the country. The bill features a cast of the best known actors in the country. The show will be a real treat for all who see it.

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TIDAL WAVE OF VOLCANIC ORIGIN

PARIS, Jan. 10.—The tidal wave that ravaged the Atlantic coast of France yesterday is believed to have been of volcanic origin, since it was accompanied in many places by a slight earthquake. The shock was felt at Laroche, among other places, at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning.

\$1,000,000 TO UNIVERSITY

BRUSSELS, Jan. 10.—A Detroit manufacturer, R. Herman, has given \$1,000,000 to the International university, which has its headquarters here, according to an announcement made today.

As the mother who needed only a black and white dress to make her child for the purpose, is handling her part with her usual superior ability. Miss Coleman and Mr. Brown play the leads. The show is full of funny stuff and is a play that will keep you entertained for the full run. Tickets and other matters, see to enter your mind. A sweetheart of a show, there are but two more performances to be played after tonight. To be on the safe side, phone 231 and make your reservations now.

STRAND THEATRE
William A. Hart, one of the most noteworthy figures on the stage today, is appearing in one of his greatest productions at the Strand for the first time. The play is called "The Old Man" and is a story of the pioneer days in California. Hart is seen in a somewhat different brand of character, but he has never appeared in before. Assisting him is a cast that includes such well known and favored stars as Alma Hansen, Sylvia Ashton and others.

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